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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TEACHER WANTED for Duncan's School. Joe Macdonald Sec'y Board Trustees. no3-6t

TO LET—A Furnished Cottage, with or without board. Also furnished rooms with board. Vacancy for a couple more mealers, 111 Pandora Ave. no3-1m

FOR SALE.—A good horse, and New Buggy and Harness. Apply A. V. Bossi, corner Cook and Johnston. nov 3-1m

WANTED—A general servant, wages $20 per month. Apply No. 40 Government Street. no3

LOST—Cigar case, black leather, between Superior street and Presbyterian church. Finder will please return to this office. 1t

TENDERS for purchase of Lot 18, Lake Hill, on Saanich Road, containing 6.46 acres, good land and corner lot, 2½ miles from P. O. Apply 137 Cormorant street. no3-1m

FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKING at No. 32 Pioneer street. L. D. Ayling. no3-1m

DRESS-MAKING—Miss Scott, formerly of the Arcade has returned from Tacoma and opened dress-making parlors at 56 Pandora street, where she will be pleased to see all her old friends and patrons. no-3-1w.

NOTICE.

O. WARNER, having sold the plant and equipments of the Star shipyard, wishes all claims against the said yard, up to Nov. 1st, sent in for payment at 103 Chatham street. nov 3-6t

MR. THEODORE MARTENS,

(Concert Piano, and Vocal Teacher,)

from the Royal Conservatory of Music, Leipzig, Germany, begs to announce to the residents of Victoria and vicinity, that he has taken up his permanent residence in this city, and is now prepared to receive pupils for Piano-Forte, Cultivation of the Voice and Solo Singing. Circulars at Waitt's Music Store or at residence, 255 Fort street. no 3-1m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY give notice that I have this day relinquished my share in the business known as Mackenzie & Vantin, Carpenters and Builders, 67 Douglas St.
Signed, J. H. VANTIN.

In connection with the above the undersigned will pay all accounts and collect all bills due the late firm, and will continue the business in his own name.
C. F. MACKENZIE.
Victoria, B.C., Oct. 31, 1891. 1t

SOCIAL

A social will be held in the SCHOOLROOM OF PANDORA AVE. METHODIST CHURCH, THIS EVENING, AT 8 O'CLOCK.

A choice programme has been prepared for the occasion. Admission, including refreshments, 25c. 1t

EXTENSION OF TIME.

The time for receiving proposals as under has been extended to 4 p.m. of Monday, November 16th.

TENDERS FOR MACHINERY

SEALED TENDERS, MARKED "TENDER for Machinery," will be received at the office of the undersigned until 4 p. m. of **Tuesday, November 10th,** for Boilers and Machinery for the Electric Works of the Corporation, as follows: 2 80 H. P. Tubular Steel Boilers, 60 in. diameter and 16 ft. long; 1 150 H. P. Nominal High Speed Automatic Engine; 1 McAvity Inspirator, No. 40; about 50 ft. of 16-in. Leather Belting (oak tanned); about 40 ft. of 6-in. do; 1 Smoke Stack, 10 in. diameter and 70 ft. long; 1 National Feed Water Heater, 200 H. P.; and other Fittings, etc.

Plans and Specifications may be seen at the City Clerk's office. Goods to be delivered in New Westminster not later than December 31st. Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque for an amount equal to 5 per cent. of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering fails to sign contract when called upon.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
D. ROBSON,
City Clerk.
New Westminster, Oct. 23, 1891. no3-3t

NOTICE.

Having purchased the plant lately used by Mr. O. W. Warner in the STAR SHIPYARD, I am prepared to continue the business in all its branches, and feel confident I can give entire satisfaction.
T. H. TRAHEY.
Victoria, B.C., November 1, 1891. no1-12t

SONS OF ST. GEORGE

PURPOSE Instituting a Lodge in the Icelanders' Hall, Fernwood Road, Spring Ridge, on Wednesday, Nov. 4, at 8 a.m. Candidates and others wishing to unite, will kindly wait on E. Hall, M. D., Jewell Block, cor. Yates and Douglas Sts., who will also be in attendance at 8 p.m. Rates for Charter Members $3.
W. E. OLTAWAY,
D. D. W. G. P.,
no1-3t Victoria.

Arrival of the "Sussex."

The S S. Sussex arrived off the Outer wharf at 2 o'clock, this morning, from China and Japan. She will come alongside at 8 o'clock, to-day, to discharge cargo and land passengers.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 2.—The Imperial ukase, prohibiting henceforth the exportation of all cereals, except wheat, also interdicts the sending out of the country potatoes, flour, malt, meal, dough and baked bread.

Notice.

All the goods in the new store, Pierre block, Douglas street, near City Hall, consisting of furniture, mattresses, pillows, stoves, crockery, lamps, etc., will be sold this week at low prices. Anything not sold will be sold at auction, at rooms of J. P. Davies & Co., on Wednesday, November 10th.
8t C. F. COLLINS.

JOHN DOHERTY, GENERAL SCAVENGER

Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Mr. G Doughty, cor. Blanchard and Fort streets, Fel & Co.'s, Fort street, or Cochrane & Munn's Yates and Douglas sts. will be promptly attended to. Wood and Coal for sale. *aug26-1y

A Double Effect.

DEAR SIRS,—I have used Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam for bronchitis and bad cough, with the best results, and can highly recommend it to all sufferers.
ROSCOE PUGSLEY,
250 Delaware Av., Toronto.

THE EMPRESS OF CHINA.

An Interesting Budget of News—Immense Fire in Hankow—Emma Thursby's Trunk.

Shipwrecked Crew of an American Vessel Return Home After Suffering Great Hardships.

Riots in China Are Becoming Less Frequent—Peace is Gradually Being Restored.

The Canadian Pacific steamship Empress of Japan dropped anchor off Victoria harbor at 5:35 p.m. yesterday, discharged her four bags of mail matter, one white and 110 Chinese passengers for this port, and passed on to Vancouver.

Her trip was not a particularly fast or an unusually eventful one, and the number of first class passengers was hardly up to the general average. The list, among others, contained the names of Major Hanney, Lieut. H. C. Carr, R.N.R.; Lieut. George Rogers, Lieut. and Mrs. F. H. England, J. M. Beattie, Dr. R. H. Campbell, Rev. W. W. Shaw, wife and children; R. Guerto, H. C. Piggott, H. Birkett, Rev. F. E. Freese and friend, Rev. J. B. Small, Col. Adams, W. F. and F. W. Richardson, Geo. Halpin, wife and aunt; Capt. Gamble, Miss Coddick, H. Schwing, P. Lovell, V. Robertson, L. and A. Cowan, L. W. Hindmarch, The Misses Noll, and W. H. Harrington.

There were also eight second saloon, 13 European steerage, and 165 Chinese, 110 for Victoria. The cargo comprises 2,263 tons measurement or 1,131½ tons weight, and in the freight the eagerly sought and hard to locate trunk belonging to Miss Emma Thursby found a resting place. It was left on the wharf when the Empress called outward, in company with a varied assortment of Chinese baggage, with which it was bundled on board the tender, and afterwards transferred to the ocean steamship. No time will be lost in restoring it to its rightful owner.

From Kobe, the Empress brought as passengers, the captain and crew of the four masted schooner Kitsap, which struck and went down in a gale off Borodino, island on the 6th of September. Of the wreck, the captain, Henry Tibbets, gives the following account: "We sailed from Port Townsend on July 4th, with a lumber cargo of a million feet for Shanghae. The schooner was about ten years old, of 755 register, and owned by Hope & Talbot of San Francisco, the owners of the Dare. Our crew numbered eleven men, all told. We had rough weather the better part of the run, and it was a dirty, thick night, when nothing could be seen ten feet away, that we came to grief. Borodino Island is a little uninhabited, barren piece of rocky land, four miles long by about two wide, lying in latitude 25° 55' north, longitude 131° 11' west. We struck during the night, and had barely time to get a few necessaries, a little food, and about 20 gallons of water in an 18 foot boot, when the schooner broke in three, and floated away. We made a landing with difficulty on the rocks, and remained there for 27 days, on short rations, waiting for the gale to die. Water grew alarmingly short, and there wasn't a drop on the island, and this forced us to move. We decided to try for the Loo Choo islands, 180 miles away, on the Chinese coast, and arrived there almost exhausted, in six days, the water having given out three days before. After recovering from the effects of the rough trip, we made our way from Loo Choo, to Kobe, arriving there on October 4th, and there catching the Japan."

Not one life was lost in the wreck, and the shipwrecked ones expect to meet their friends in Port Townsend to-day; they left by the City of Kingston last evening. Mong Kow was one of the gladdest of men on the arrival of the liner, his mother, Mrs. Lee, arriving by the Empress to pay him a visit.

NEWS SUMMARY.

The following clippings are made from the Japanese and Chinese papers, of which the latest date to hand is Oct. 21st:

"We had a huge fire in Hankow last Saturday evening, which burned 1,300 houses, and left ten times as many people homeless. It is believed there was considerable loss of life through women and children being trampled down and afterwards burned. The authorities have issued a motherly proclamation exhorting the people to be more careful in the way they handle fire, but in spite of this there was another last night, in Hanyang, when 200 more houses were burned. Everything is so dry, and the Chinese are so reckless in their use of kerosene and in their smoking and joss pidgin arrangements, that the real wonder is not how houses get burned, but how they escape.—N. C. Daily News."

"A considerable amount of speculation has been indulged in as to how it occurred that the C. P. steamer Empress of China had to put into Hakodate for coal on her voyage from Vancouver. We learn that the explanation is that she was supplied with a new description of coal by her agents at Vancouver and that although she took on board what was believed to be sufficient for four or five extra days steaming, her consumption of the new fuel, in the very bad weather she experienced, amounted to some 200 tons a day instead of 135 tons, her usual allowance for 16 knots. Her coal, we understand, was not exhausted when she reached Hakodate and might have carried her on to Yokohama, but her captain thought it wiser to be on the safe side.—Japan Advertiser."

The trial of C. H. A. W. Mason, for illegal possession of a quantity of dynamite, was continued in H. B. M. police court at Shanghai, on the 6th, 7th and 8th instant, and was not then concluded. On Sunday, the 4th, Mason succeeded in escaping from the English jail, but was re-arrested by two European policemen before he had got far away. The N. C. Daily News understands that after his arrest he was found to be in possession of $700 in Hongkong bank notes. As he was out of custody for only a very few minutes, and could hardly have obtained the money in that time, there is no doubt that he had it when he was remanded in custody on the 29th ult., and that it remained in his possession during his stay at the jail. It is the rule in English jails to search on entry all prisoners, whether on remand or under sentence; but this practice does not seem to be adopted at the Shanghai prison in question. It appears there are only two foreigners employed in the jail, and one of these is often away on duty elsewhere.

"When the last mail left Shanghai, on the 10th instant, everything was reported quiet there and at the river ports. It had been announced that the instigators of the outbreak at Ichang were on their way to Chungking, and as the foreigners there are too scattered about to combine quickly for mutual defence, it was hoped that the authorities, being warned, would take measures to frustrate the designs of the rioters. At Ichang the magistrate still retained a guard of soldiers round his yamen. H M. chartered steamer Ella was anchored there, and Sir Robert Hart's cruiser Lingfeng was hourly expected. The Yling, which was ashore above Hankow for several moths, has been floated off the spit on which she had grounded. At Nanking, on the 2nd inst., it was rumored that the Viceroy had been ordered to Peking, but what the business was, was not stated. Some of the Manchus brought up from Chinkiang were to be executed. All was quiet, outwardly at Nanking. On the 3rd a collision occurred in the Whangpoo between the S. S. Liensheng and a small mandarin steamer. The former was coming up the river and the latter was on her way to Hankow, but crossing the Liensheng's bows collided with that steamer and sank. The Liensheng was going full speed astern at the time the accident happened, and then ran ashore. Boats were lowered, and fifteen men from the sinking boat were picked up, but, unfortunately, six persons were drowned. Mr. J. Fournel, of the firm of Schonhard & Co., has been arrested, and is now imprisoned awaiting trial on a charge connected with the recently discovered deficiency in the accounts of the Companie du Gaz de la Concession Francaise, of which Schonhard & Co. were the secretaries.—Japan Advertiser, Oct. 21st."

CANADIAN NEWS.

More Smallpox.

MONTREAL, Nov. 2. — There are three more cases of smallpox at Lorette, in the same house as the one previously reported.

Death of a Former Bank Manager.

MONTREAL, Nov. 2.—A cablegram has been received here, announcing the death of David Davidson, formerly well known in Canadian business circles. Deceased came to Canada in 1843, and was manager of the Bank of British North America until 1853, when he became general manager of the Bank of Montreal, which position he held for ten years.

No Counsel.

QUEBEC, Nov. 2.—It appears as if there is to be no argument of counsel before the Royal Commission, the counsel for the prosecution having a neatly drawn up factum which has been printed in Montreal, and was brought down by last night's train.

Northwest Local Elections.

REGINA, Nov. 2.—The nominations for the Northwest Assembly elections were held, on Saturday, throughout the Territories. In Calgary, Moosomin, MacLeod, Lethbridge and Edmonton districts the candidates were elected by acclamation.

Northern Missions.

TORONTO, Nov. 2.—The Venerable Archdeacon Reeve, who is to be consecrated in Winnipeg as missionary bishop of Mackenzie River, preached in Holy Trinity Church, yesterday morning, and in the evening in St. James' Cathedral. He appealed for assistance in support of the missions to the benighted Indians and Esquimaux in the far north.

Attorney-General Robidoux Resigns.

QUEBEC, Nov 2.—It is asserted that, owing to poor health, Hon Mr. Robidoux, Provincial Attorney-General, has decided to retire from public life, and has handed in his resignation to Premier Mercier. He will take a trip, either to Europe or to Florida.

The Canadian-American Footballers.

TORONTO, Nov. 2.—A cablegram from London says that, on Saturday, the Canadians-Americans played a game of football with Burnley, one of England's strongest professional teams. Each team secured two goals.

New Trappist Colony.

MONTREAL, Nov. 2.—The trappist monks, who have a large establishment at Oka, near this city, have received an offer from Abbe Ritchot, of St. Norbert, Man., of one thousand acres of good land on the line of the Canadian Pacific railway at a distance of only eight or nine miles from Winnipeg, and it is expected that a colony will be established there next year.

Football Match.

MONTREAL, Nov. 2.—A football match for the Quebec Rugby Union Championship was played here on Saturday between the Montreal and McGill clubs, resulting in favor of the former by a score 33 to 9.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., Nov. 2.—Mr. Errington, of Sea Island, has sold his farm, reserving his residence and five acres, for $38,000.

Heavy weather on the Gulf interfered with shipping to-day. The steamer Telephone, from South Arm, did not put in an appearance, and the Yosemite did not arrive from Victoria till afternoon.

The bark Noddleburn left port for Tacoma, this afternoon, in tow of the tug Lorne.

The Westminster Rugby Football team has challenged the Victoria to play a match at the capital on Thanksgiving day.

A fine Clydesdale team ran away to-day, and fell into a trench which is being excavated for water pipe. One horse was killed.

Grand Exhibition of Pictures.

Large consignment of fine water colors and engravings on view for two weeks only at Sommer's, 50 Government street.

Water color drawings from Rome at Hibben & Co's.

Combination pencil cases, 15c., at T. N. Hibben & Co's.

CHILIAN COMPLICATIONS.

Strained Diplomatic Relations Still Continue—The U. S. Legation Under Strict Espionage.

The Intendente of Valparaiso Gives Promise of Protection to Americans—Denial of Trouble.

Senor Montt Interviews Secretary Blaine—It is Stated Matters are Being Arranged.

SANTIAGO, Chili, Nov. 2.—The political atmosphere remains about the same. There is no change in the strained diplomatic relations between the United States and Chili. The Junta contends that the police of Valparaiso were in no way to blame for taking the sailors off the Baltimore into custody nor for their subsequent treatment. The members of the American colony are on the *qui vive* for some sort of an ultimatum from the United States to the Junta. In official circles it is evident that some such step is expected, and there is consequently great excitement in that and other circles. The Chilians believe that if they become involved in trouble with the United States they will easily obtain the aid of England. Indeed, they are discussing the possibilities of an alliance with England should hostilities result from the existing state of affairs between them and the United States. The U S. legation has again been placed under police espionage. The reason for it is not known, but the police are keeping as strict a watch over it as they did when the question of the legation's right to afford an asylum to political refugees was under discussion. The only reason that can be given for this action is that the Chilian officials are desirous of getting fully posted with regard to persons leaving or visiting the legation. The members of the legation are very much annoyed by this last move. It is learned that the police have even received orders to make arrests of persons leaving the legation under certain circumstances. Last night two ladies who had been visiting Minister Egan were accosted by the police on leaving and closely questioned. Their answers were apparently satisfactory, for they were allowed to go on their way. The friends of the ladies denounce the action of the policemen as outrageous. The same night the police attempted to stop a carriage that was going by the American legation. They called upon the driver to stop, but he paid no heed to them. Among the Americans here the greatest apprehension exists, and the feeling is anything but secure so far as they are concerned.

VALPARAISO, Chili, via. Galveston, Texas, Nov. 1.—Senor Arlegui, the intendente of this city, gives Captain Schley, of the Baltimore, his positive assurance that the officers and sailors of the U.S. warship will be afforded all possible protection in case they should come ashore. At the same time, in view of the present state of affairs, he will not offer advice in regard to the advisability of permitting any of the Baltimore's crew to land. While Arlegui will not commit himself by an expression of opinion on the subject, it seems clear that he deems it best that no such attempt should be made for the present. The intendente asked American Consul McCreery to request Captain Schley to furnish Judge Foster, who is conducting a secret inquiry into the outrage, with a copy of any testimony obtained by him so that it may be used by the court. The correspondent of the N. Y. Herald is of the opinion that the authorities wish to proceed in good faith. The most respectable people, native as well as foreign, deeply regret the Baltimore affair. Prominent Chilians so far interviewed, do not care to express an opinion, but the general idea among the foreign residents is that reparation ought to be made to Chili. Continuing, the correspondent says: "The stories sent out from this city and Santiago to the effect that excitement generally prevails here over a prospect of war with the United States are not true. Persons here whose opinions have any weight are not expecting any serious outcome of the affair. I have not heard any of them express the belief that England's aid could be counted on by Chili in case of conflict; such an idea has not been generally entertained for a moment, as far as I have been able to find. Mr. Egan has been acting throughout all this trouble on his instructions from the State department. To sum up the present situation, I do not think that there is any cause for alarm. I have been all through those sections of the country, and have heard many prominent men say that the present time, when the government here is still unestablished, and the affairs of the country are unsettled, this question should remain at a standstill for a short time, so as to allow due consideration.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—Senor Montt, Chilian minister, called at the navy department, this morning, and had a conference of nearly an hour with Secretary Tracy. He then called on Secretary Blaine, at the State department, accompanied by Secretary Tracy. His interview with Mr. Blaine was very brief, lasting but 15 minutes, and its nature could not be learned. Secretary Tracy would not say anything regarding the conference, but he stated there was nothing new or alarming in the Chilian situation. While the nature of Senor Montt's visit to the State and Navy department could not be ascertained it is believed he called to assure Secretary Blaine that the investigation of the Valparaiso tragedy, asked for by this government, was being hurried as rapidly as possible, and that the report on the matter would be made at the earliest possible moment. All the indications here are, that the matter is being quietly and diplomatically handled, and no trouble is expected.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The Times correspondent at Valparaiso reports as follows: "Evidence gathered from all hands appears conclusively to prove that the American squadron acted the part of spies for Balmaceda, and that, second only to the dictator's, the most effective assistance to the opposition was rendered by Minister Egan, the American squadron and the Washington administration, the two latter having probably been deceived by Minister Egan from the first. I have absolutely verified from an ex-official source that Minister Egan's intimacy with, the obsequiousness to Balmaceda, and a consensus of documentary and other evidence, compels the belief as to the accuracy of the charge that Admiral Brown imparted the result of his visit to Quinteros to Balmaceda's officials. Admiral Brown's statement that he took a British naval officer to Quinteros is untrue. The American cable was cut at Iquique, under the protection of an American man-of-war, to enable Balmaceda to control public opinion abroad. Upon unproved, if not unfounded, charges, Minister Egan, in order to cover his unsustainable position, has addressed three hostile notes to the Chilian Government, hoping to create difficulties in subsidiary questions, under shelter of which he might escape. The government is acting with the greatest prudence, and will endeavor to satisfy all just demands of the United States, ignoring the insolent attitude of Egan. Blaine, in partnership with Egan, has succeeded in leaving an imperishable landmark in South American history, which neither the Pan-American conference nor the inter-colonial railway can efface."

The Times this morning says: "Chilians would be more or less than human if they did not resent Minister Egan's brow-beating tone unless they come to his assistance by a departure from the moderate attitude they now maintain. It only remains for Blaine to climb down as softly and gently as he can. The American people are certainly concerned to discover and punish those who employed their ships and influence in ways which, if not absolutely correct, are at least extremely irregular and mischievous."

CAPITAL NOTES.

The Premier Leases Hon. Mr. MacKenzie's Old House—Return of Hon. Mr. Bowell.

Connolly's Books to be Returned to the Government—Baden-Powell Gone to Washington.

The New Queen's Printer—Hon. Mr. Chapleau Resumes the Portfolio of Secretary of State.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 2.—Premier Abbott has leased the house on Victoria street, formerly occupied by Hon. A. Mackenzie and Sir Charles Tupper.

The court at Quebec has given an order to return the Connolly's books to the Government. The Connollys appeal from the judgment.

Sir George Baden-Powell has gone to Washington on private business.

Baron de Giers, State Geologist of Sweden, is here on a tour of Canada.

Hon. Mackenzie Bowell will be back from a tour over the Intercolonial at the end of the week.

S. E. Dawson, the new Queen's Printer, has arrived and will begin his duties tomorrow.

There is no change in the Chapleau situation. It is understood he has announced that, to-morrow, he resumes the Secretaryship of State on the understanding that some French member, probably Mr. Ouimet, will be promoted.

CABLE NEWS.

Shoemakers' Lock Out.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—Seven thousand shoemakers, of this city, have been locked out, and unless the matter at dispute is settled by Wednesday next, 22,000 persons will be affected by the difficulty.

Victims of the Cork Emeute.

CORK, Nov. 2.—As a consequence of stick fighting, and the stone battles of yesterday, 52 persons applied at the hospitals, this morning, to have their cuts and bruises cared for. None serious were reported.

Davitt Appealed To.

CORK, Nov. 2.—The Examiner (Liberal), this morning, appeals to Michael Davitt to settle the unfortunate dispute, which distracts the Irish National party.

Mrs. Parnell's Condition.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—The report comes from Brighton that Mrs. Parnell's condition is one of such complete prostration as to make her recovery doubtful.

Weather Reports.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—Sharp frosts have appeared in England, and snow has fallen in the vicinity of Hamburg.

ATHENS, Nov. 2.—Rain has fallen in enormous quantity throughout Greece, and a severe snow storm was experienced in the mountain country.

Grain Statistics.

LONDON, Nov. S.—In view of the cessation of Russian grain exports the statistics of the Glasgow General Grain stock for 1891, as compared with that of 1890, are of importance. They show for 1891 a decrease of 74,000 quarters of wheat, 89,000 quarters of maize, 10,000 quarters of barley, and 46,000 sacks of flour. In oats alone is a slight increase shown.

Unearthing of Cheque Forgers.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—The London police, after a long search, have unearthed a gang of the cleverest cheque forgers operating in recent years. The members of this gang have succeeded in doing what was believed by experts to be impossible, namely, removing from chemically treated bank paper, the figures written thereon and replacing them by others entirely different, without leaving a trace of the alteration. There is reason to believe that the stealings of the "combine" have amounted to £20,000 a week for some time past.

At James Bay, on Tram Line, 20 Cottages, are to be built at once and sold on easy terms at prices as follows:

5 at $ 900—$ 75 down, balance on time.
5 at 1,000— 100 " " "
5 at 1,250— 150 " " "
5 at 1,500— 250 " " "

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LATE TELEGRAMS.

Wreaths from Parnell's Grave—Famine in Russia—France and the Russian Refugees.

Earthquakes in Japan—Plucky but Unfortunate Firemen—A Regiment of Irish Guards.

An Anarchist and Thief.

ROME, Nov. 2.—An anarchist leader in Genoa, named Ardain, has been discovered by the police to be a thief as well as an agitator. The authorities suspected that he was responsible for a certain seditious pamphlet, and in searching for copies of the objectionable document they came upon an enormous quantity of stolen goods of various descriptions secreted in the cellar of his house. The plunder comprised provisions, brandy, rum, cloth and numerous other valuable articles.

From Parnell's Grave.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—Dr. R. E. Ardon has sailed from Queenstown on the Umbria for New York, taking with him a large wreath of ivy and laurel from the grave of Parnell. This, with violets and shamrock, gathered near Cork, are sent by the women of Cork to be exhibited at the Parnell memorial service, and afterwards presented to Mrs. Parnell, mother of the late Irish leader.

Famine Stricken.

BERLIN, Nov. 1.—Advices state that 350,000 German colonists in the famine-stricken districts of the Volga, distributed among twenty-nine parishes, are perishing. A German committee, formed at Riga, are waiting the dilatory assent of the St. Petersburg authorities to send relief to the colonists under trusty persons. In addition to the suffering caused by want of food, the Volga district is being ravaged by an epidemic of scurvy and typhoid fever. The starving people attack houses and other buildings, in order to secure means of obtaining food.

The Japanese Earthquakes.

BOSTON, Nov. 1.—The secretary of the American Board of Foreign Missions received a cablegram, this morning, from Hiogo, Japan, stating that the missionaries were safe. This had reference to the earthquake there.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—Private dispatches received here from Japan say the loss of life by the recent earthquake on the island of Hondo and other places is very great. Over 2,000 persons were killed and 18,000 houses destroyed in the province of Nagoya. Five thousand houses were destroyed and a number of persons killed at Gifu. The towns of Kano and Kasamatsu are also reported destroyed, together with fifty miles of railroad. It is estimated that the total loss of life may be over 10,000. There have been many wrecks about the island of Hondo as a consequence of the disturbance.

Why the Czar Does Not Visit France.

PARIS, Nov. 1.—Foreign Minister Ribot, having urged DeGiers, during his recent visit to Madrid, to try to persuade the Czar to visit France, was told that it was first advisable to expel all Russian refugees, and it is supposed they are preparing to make a clean sweep of them over the Swiss frontier.

Slavin Spoils for a Fight.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—Slavin, the pugilist, says that he will accept Sullivan's challenge to a fight for the championship of the world. He will be ready to start for America within a month after the expenses are guaranteed. He will be satisfied with any amount of purse that Sullivan can arrange.

Russia Wants all Her Cereals.

PARIS, Nov. 1.—A telegram received at the Russian embassy announces the issuance of a ukase in Russia prohibiting from to-day the exportation of all cereals excepting wheat. The Russian Government has assigned another 32,000,000 roubles to the distress fund.

"The Irish Guards."

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The United Service Gazette champions the proposition to create a division of the Irish guards on the same basis as the English and Scotch guards. A petition signed by military men, and shortly to be presented to the Queen, recounts, among reasons for the formation of the Irish guards, the famous services rendered from time to time to Great Britain by Irish regiments. One of the most interesting of these episodes, and one that will appeal peculiarly to Her Majesty, is that of the mutiny at Gibraltar in 1802, when the Queen's father, the Duke of Kent, was in command of the forces stationed there. All depended on the course taken by the 54th Irish Regiment, and the mutineers used every effort to obtain their co-operation, but the Irishmen proved thoroughly loyal. By the aid of the 54th Regiment the uprising was quelled, and the authority of the officer in command of this important fortress was thereby upheld.

British and Portuguese in Africa.

PARIS, Nov. 1.—The Portuguese mail boat from East Africa, which has arrived at Marseilles, reports a recent collision between the British and Portuguese soldiers at Lorenzo, Marquis, in which two were killed and fifteen injured.

Rothschilds Lend Money to Spain.

MADRID, Nov. 1.—The Rothschilds will renew the Spanish loan of $10,000,000, and will advance $20,000,000 more in gold to the Bank of Spain.

A Strategic Conference.

PARIS, Nov. 1.—Grand Duke Alexander, of Oldenburg, chief military expert of Russia, is taking part in a strategic conference, now proceeding between French and Russian officers.

Cardinal Lavigerie.

PARIS, Nov. 1.—Cardinal Lavigerie is seriously ill at Algiers. The Pope has sent his blessing to the cardinal.

Brave Firemen Lose their Lives.

BERLIN, Nov. 1.—An exciting scene was witnessed at Bergdorf, a suburb of Hamburg, when the Hotel Schwerin was burned and five lives lost. There were many narrow escapes, and the work of the firemen was full of danger. A company of negro minstrels, who had been playing in Hamburg, was lodged in the upper story of the hotel. Three of them found their escape cut off. Two firemen volunteered, in the face of almost instant death, to go to their assistance. Just as the two rescuers had reached the floor on which the three minstrels were hemmed in by the flames, the building collapsed and all five were plunged into the blazing mass and perished.

Royal Residence Destroyed.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—Early, yesterday morning, the top floor of the residence of the Prince of Wales was discovered to be on fire. An alarm was promptly rung, and an hour later the whole upper part of the building was in flames, in a few minutes the roof collapsing with a tremendous crash. The reflection of the flames was visible for several miles around. The second and third floors of the building were gutted and their contents destroyed. The lower rooms were greatly damaged by water. The total amount of damage is estimated at £15,000. His Royal Highness and family were absent at the time. It is supposed that the fire was caused by sparks from a flue, which smouldered during the night.

Socialist Organization.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The extremists who were ejected from the Socialists' Association at Erfute have resolved to organize themselves as an independent body. Next Sunday they will meet and draft a programme for their party, which will be styled "The Independent Socialists." A journal is to be published to advocate their views, which will come as near to the doctrine of revolution as the leaders may consider safe. There is some difference of opinion as to who will be the acknowledged head of the movement, but Herr Wildberger is generally looked on as the man. All the members are noted for the extreme ardor of their hostility to existing institutions. Meantime the leaders of the social democracy proper, who retain the unanimous socialist support, denounce the new faction as anarchists in disguise, and make no scruple of saying that they are dangerous, not only to socialism, but to the best interests of Germany. The moderation of the social democracy is construed by many as indicating that the party is fast becoming a centre of popular energy, irrespective of the peculiar socialistic principles on which it was founded.

Minister Egan to be Removed.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The Post says: A gentleman in this city, who was informed, yesterday, of the demand of Chili for the recall of Minister Egan, says he received, to-day, an authoritative despatch from Washington announcing that Mr. Blaine has promised Senor Montt that the United States legation would be put in charge of its secretary, next Monday. This is said to be not on account of the Baltimore episode, but on the demand of the Chilian Government for refusing to notify his Government of Montt's appointment as minister of the Junta to the United States. A Herald's special cablegram from Santiago, says thirteen military officers, who served under Balmaceda, intend crossing into the Argentine Republic to join their troops. The loss will be felt by Chili, as they are all experienced officers.

Minister Egan not yet Recalled.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—A special to the Mail and Express from Washington says: "The Cabinet meeting, yesterday, was conducted with great secrecy, but I am told that a sensation was caused by the remarks of President Harrison. He took up the entire question of the Chilian difficulty and said that he considered the conduct of the junta as utterly indefensible, without excuse and insulting to the last degree. He insisted and heartily supported Secretary Blaine, and urged on the other members of the Cabinet an immediate conclusion of the negotiations. He laid before the Cabinet Chili's demand for the recall of Minister Egan as a condition precedent to a successful conclusion and settlement of the difficulty. The result of the meeting was the framing of a cablegram, which was the united work of the President and Secretary Blaine, which instructed Minister Egan to insist upon an immediate and prompt reply to the last note, and to say to the Chilian authorities that a policy of delay would be looked upon as a policy of prevarication, and would not be tolerated. The fact that Minister Egan reports no subsidence of the anti-American feeling in Chili was made known and evidently had an effect on the Cabinet. This was intensified, later in the day, when Senor Montt, during a conference with Mr. Blaine, again presented a request from the Junta for Minister Egan's removal. When Senor Montt learned of the decisive action of the Cabinet, he assured Mr. Blaine, so I am told, that his Government labored under a misapprehension, and he begged that the message prepared for transmission to Minister Egan be delayed until communications could be established with the Junta.

ARRIVAL OF THE DANUBE.

Passenger List—Her Cargo—A Chinaman Killed on Board.

The steamer Danube, Capt. Meyers, arrived from the North on Sunday morning with 17,300 cases of salmon, below her upper deck, of which 3,700 cases were from the Inverness cannery, 9,300 from Balmoral and 2,800 from the North. She also had several passengers on board, among whom were G. F. Slater, Rev. Tomlinson, W. B. Skillnm, H. Grant, R. McLeod, A. S. Going and E. Booth.

While the Danube was loading salmon at the Balmoral cannery, a week ago yesterday, a Chinaman who had been employed on the boat for about three months as a mess boy was killed. He was passing from aft to forward of the vessel when the sling with about 17 cases of salmon in it struck him and knocked him into the hold of the boat. He fell almost a distance of 30 feet and broke his neck. He died soon after.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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I would particularly call public attention to this very important sale, the lots having **66 ft. Frontage**, and being, strictly speaking, **the Water Lots of this City.** It would be difficult to estimate what they will be worth in the next ten years. These embrace all the water front on the Inlet from Carrall to Cambie streets.

The commendable policy pursued by the Provincial Government in selling such choice property by public auction, thereby giving everybody a chance to compete, is an opportunity which none should allow to pass. I have simply to urge everyone not to miss it. Prepare for it, as this is the opportunity of a life time.

Terms will be made known later.

A. M. BEATTIE, Auctioneer.

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W. E. DEVEREUX.

NOTICE.

During my absence from the Province, James Stuart Yates holds my Power of Attorney.

MRS. A. S. BUNSTER.

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H. L. REYNOLDS, Patent Attorney. Late Examiner in U. S. Patent Office. Write or call. 57 Sullivan Block, Seattle, Wash.

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TENDERS.

NOTICE TO THE BUILDING TRADES.

WHOLE and separate Tenders are required for the erection on the north side of Silvia Street, (near Boyd) James Bay, of a two-story frame dwelling, and fencing, digging and levelling of garden, gravelling paths, etc., according to plans, for W. Hornaman Wooler, Esq.

Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, where tenders will be received up till 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, Nov. 10th, 1891.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. GERHARDT TIARKS, Architect, 39 Government St.

Oct. 31, 1891,

Tenders also invited for the grading and gravelling of drives, stable approach and paths, already laid out at Lexton Lodge, opposite.

Specifications at my office.

J. G. TIARKS, 39 Gov't St.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS are asked up till 5 o'clock of Thursday, 5th Nov., for the erection of a Frame Residence, proposed to be erected on lot corner Fort and Quadra Sts., for Mrs. L. Jones.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOMAS HOOPER, Architect, Office over Spencer's Arcade.

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MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE.

TENDERS will be received at the City Clerk's Office up to 4 p.m. on November 21st, 1891, for supplying 600 tons of cast iron pipe as follows:—

200 tons of 4-inch pipe.
150 tons of 5-inch pipe.
150 tons of 6-inch pipe.
100 tons of 8 inch pipe.

The above to be delivered on or before the first day of May, A.D. 1892.

By order.

GILBERT W. CLAYTON-EAST, Acting C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Oct. 22, 1891. oc22-td

BUSINESS CARDS.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO., ESTABLISHED 1803. INVESTED FUNDS OVER $8,000,000. LOSSES PROMPTLY ADJUSTED. Agent, H. E. CROASDAILE, 42 Fort Street. oc29

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W. RIDGWAY WILSON, ARCHITECT, 6 BASTION SQUARE. Telephone 404. P.O. Box 474. ap21-6m

THOS. B. NORGATE & CO., ARCHITECTS, Patent Solicitors and Mechanical Engineers, 76 YATES STREET, VICTORIA, B. C. feb14-tf

KEEFER & SMITH, CIVIL AND HYDRAULIC ENGINEERS. Consulting Engineers of the Vancouver Waterworks Co., B. C., the Mount Olympus Waterworks Co., Wash., U. S., and the Matsqui Dyking Co., B. C. Chambers 5 and 6, Turner Block, Douglas St., Victoria, B. C. G. A. KEEFER, M. Inst. C. E., etc. H. B. SMITH, M. Inst. C. E., etc. tjy7

JOSEPH SEARS, DEALER IN Paints, Oils, Colors, Varnishes, Brushes, Window Glass, Plate Glass, Wall Paper, etc. 114 YATES STREET. tfe2-12m

SPRING HAS COME and persons contemplating Improvements to their Stores, Offices, Dwellings, or Outbuildings, will save time, trouble and money by entrusting their orders to J. P. BURGESS, 10 Broughton Street.

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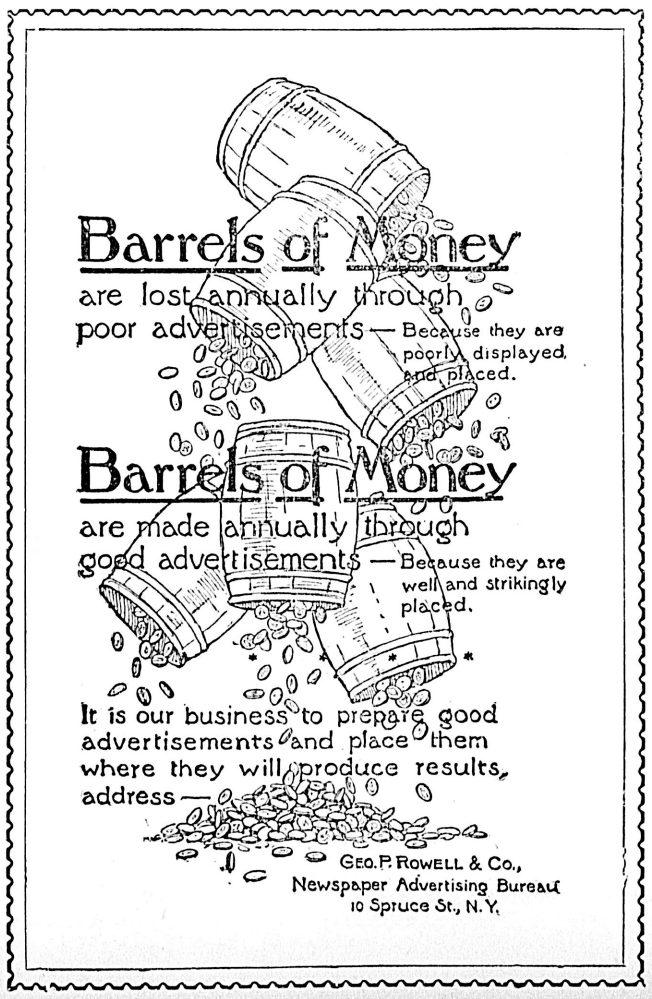

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL W. H. BAINBRIDGE, Secretary B.C. Pottery and Terra Cotta Co. B.C. Agricultural Society. Victoria Jockey Club. The Jewell Block, Douglas St. oct24-1m

NOTICE OF REMOVAL. MR. A. PHILIP PEACOCK has removed his office at 21 Bastion street to the opposite side of the street, where he will remain until the alterations now being made at his old office are finished. oc2

REMOVAL. JNO. TEAGUE, ARCHITECT. Has removed to new offices corner of Broad Street and Trounce Avenue. feb20tf

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DRUGGIST NOTICE. We beg to inform the public that we have purchased the stock and business, at No. 57 Yates street, heretofore carried on by John Teague, jr., as Chemist and Druggist. In the future the name of the new firm will be "Dean & Cryderman," both members of the firm being practical druggists. The public is assured that all prescriptions will be carefully and accurately compounded, and all medicines dispensed correctly. We will also keep a full line of all kinds of goods found in a first-class drug store. W. M. DEAN, F. M. CRYDERMAN. Victoria, Sept. 15, 1891.

NOTICE.

THURSDAY, the 12th of November, next having been set apart and appointed by His Excellency the Governor-General in Council as a day of Thanksgiving throughout the Dominion, the public offices will be closed on that day.

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON, Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office, 24th October, 1891. oc25

HOME GROWN FRUIT TREES, ROSES, SHADE TREES, HOLLIES, EVERGREENS. LARGE STOCK. GOOD ASSORTMENT. FINE PLANTS. A. OHLSON OAKLAND NURSERY, Box 559, Victoria, B.C. oc13-1m

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to make application to the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase a small rocky island at the rear of my lots, 1291-1292, Victoria city, owned by me. ROBERT J. HORTON, 3 St. Lawrence St. October 21st, 1891. oc22-2m

B. C. Pottery and Terra Cotta Co. Reduction in Price of SEWER PIPE. 6-inch Vitrified Sewer Pipe, 20 cents per foot, and other sizes in proportion. The above reduction will stand good for three months from date. W. H. BAINBRIDGE, Secretary Jewell Block, Douglas St. Victoria Oct. 14th, 1891. oc15

THE ROYAL COMMISSION

Holds Its First Meeting to Arrange the Method of Proceeding.

Both Parties to Have Time to Prepare Statements of the Case.

The first sitting of the Royal Commission appointed to inquire into the management of the municipal affairs by the aldermanic board of the City of Victoria was held, yesterday afternoon, in the Supreme Court room. For the petitioners who had asked for the commission, Mr. E. V. Bodwell and Hon. Theodore Davie, attorney-general, appeared, while the Council was represented by Messrs. Eberts & Taylor and Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C. Mr. F. G. Walker was present in the interest of a certain third party. The court-room contained an audience of twenty or thirty, among the well-known citizens attending being Aldermen Renouf, Holland and Munn, and Messrs. B. W. Pearse, Roderick Finlayson, W. Hamley, Wm. Wilson, Hon. Robert Beaven, A. J. Langley, J. C. Devlin, P. Hickey and J. B. Lovell.

The secretary, Mr. C. J. Moore, read the commission, thus formally opening the proceedings, the document reading as below:

HUGH NELSON.

VICTORIA, BY THE GRACE OF GOD, OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND, AND OF THE COLONIES AND DEPENDENCIES THEREOF, QUEEN, DEFENDER OF THE FAITH, &C., &C., &C.

To the Honorable Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Knight, Chief Justice, and the Honorable Montague William Tyrwhitt Drake, one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

WHEREAS, by the "Municipal Act, 1891," it is among other thing, provided that it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, at any time, to cause an enquiry to be made into or concerning the good government of any municipality, or into the conduct of any part to the public business thereof, or the administration of justice therein, and that for the purposes of such enquiry the provisions of the "Public Enquiries Act" shall apply;

And whereas, communications have been received by His Honour, the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, signed by several of the ratepayers of the City of Victoria, stating that they have reason to believe that great extravagance exists in connection with the transactions of the Municipal Council, of the City of Victoria; that the annual expenditure of the said city is not kept within the annual revenue; that portions of the proceeds of loans, raised under the authority of by-laws for specific objects, have been used by the Corporation to pay debts incurred before the by-laws were approved by the voters of the city; that such loans have not, in every instance, been expended as the by-laws authorizing them required; that moneys have been voted and spent by the Municipal Council for other purposes than those sanctioned by the Municipal Acts; that in consequence of the Corporation having diverted moneys received from the sale of Cemetery lots to other than cemetery purposes, the sum of $10,000 paid for cemetery extension is liable to forfeiture, as the Corporation cannot complete the purchase of the cemetery lands required to make good what has been sold; that the whole case of the Johnson street sewer requires investigation, as another sewer is about being built alongside of it; that grave irregularities were connected with the letting of the contract for the sewerage of the city of Victoria, and that enquiries should be made as to whether the mayor or any of the city aldermen were in any way interested in any of the tenders for the sewer or any other contracts, or in matters involving payments by the Corporation; that the taxation of the city amounts to over $15 per head of the population within its boundary, and is yearly increasing, besides that from Provincial and Federal, thus discouraging settlement; and that under the head of wages and donations in the accounts of the year 1890, the large sum of $22,727 appears, exclusive of salaries and water works.

And whereas, by an Order-in-Council of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor it is directed that an enquiry be made into the matters hereinbefore referred to, and into any other matter touching the government of the city of Victoria which the persons commissioned to hold that inquiry may see fit to enquire into, and which may be brought before them by any ratepayer.

Now know ye that reposing especial trust in your loyalty, integrity and ability, we do hereby confer upon you, the said Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie and Montague William Tyrwhitt Drake jointly and each of you separately the power of making enquiry into all and every of the matters aforesaid, together with the power of summoning before you, or either of you, any party or witnesses, and of requiring them to give evidence on oath orally, or in writing, or on solemn affirmation (if they be parties entitled to affirm in civil matters) and to produce such documents and things as you or either of you may deem requisite to the full investigation of the matters aforesaid, and we empower and direct you the said commissioners or either of you to report the facts found by you in writing to Our Lieutenant Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia immediately or as soon as conveniently may be, after you shall have concluded such enquiry together with the views which you or either of you may have formed in relation to the matters aforesaid as a result of said enquiry, and that you do and perform all those matters and things in about the taking of the said enquiry as by law in that behalf you are authorized to do.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of the Province of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed: Witness the Honourable Hugh Nelson Lieutenant Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our said City of Victoria, this 17th day of October, in the year of Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, and in the fifty-fifth year of Our reign. By command,

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

The Chief Justice announced that the commission having been read, he and his colleague would at once proceed to carry out its instructions. Certain allegations had been made in the petition addressed to the government, and the commissioners proposed to allow the petitioners a short space—a few days—in which to formulate their charges and state them clearly. Then the parties incriminated, or, rather, accused, should have a certain reasonable time in which to prepare their defence. The petitioners would probably be allowed till Friday to get their charges in order, with liberty, of course, to present any fresh matters that might come to their knowledge during the sitting of the commission. Then eight or ten days were due the defendants to prepare their reply. At the next meeting of the commission they would call upon the petitioners to support their charges one by one, and the municipality to defend themselves.

Mr. Bodwell—I have the honor of appearing in behalf of the petitioners. In formulating our charges must we confine ourselves to those contained in the commission?

The Chief Justice replied in the negative.

Hon. Mr. Richards suggested that future meetings of the commission be held in the Corporation buildings; the officers and books would then be convenient at all times.

The Chief Justice—We have thought of that; but are convinced of the inconvenience of holding our sessions anywhere but on neutral ground.

Continuing, his lordship announced that on Friday a copy of the charges must be delivered to Mr. Taylor, representing the city; on Monday week, the 16th, the reply must be delivered; and on Wednesday the 18th, the Commission will again sit to investigate the complaints. Once having commenced work, the intention of the commissioners was to sit every day, and go right ahead. The costs of the commission, it was a certainty, would have to be paid partly by the commissioners in taxes or rates. It was therefore in their interest to keep the expenses down as much as possible. It was for this reason that instead of sending out 80 or 100 circulars, announcing the first meeting of the commission, half a dozen only were sent, both to the petitioners and the Mayor, in their "corporate capacity," as assailant and defendant. If any other ratepayers, whose names were not upon the petition, have other complaints to make in regard to civic government, they are at liberty to make them at any time. The commission is adjourned until 11 a.m. of the 18th inst.

SANE OR INSANE?

Medical Testimony as to the Mental Status of Thaddeus Harper.

The Horsefly Mine or the Widow With Money Don't Meet Bills.

The case of Harper vs. Cameron was continued, yesterday, and the court room was as well filled as it has been since the beginning of this suit. Harper is in court every day, and listens with marked attention to the evidence of each witness put in the box. When "the rich widow" was mentioned, yesterday, he laughed heartily, and appeared to take in the joke, but as the Horsefly mine was being sounded he showed a decided interest in the subject.

Dr. McLean, Yale, was examined as to the effect of the accident upon Harper. After the accident Harper acquired more flesh, and became physically stronger, but was mentally weaker. He was now incapable of reasoning, and rambled a good deal in his conversation. He had the idea that he was about to realize a fortune by the Horsefly mine, and also that he was about to marry a wealthy widow. When he conceived the idea that he was about to be married he consulted witness as to whether his mental derangement would be transmitted to any children he might have.

Dr. Helmcken was next examined. He saw Harper in St. Joseph's Hospital after the accident. He was then insane, and witness did not believe he had yet quite recovered. When first witness met Harper, before the accident, he was a very reserved man, who seemed to think well before speaking. Since then, after the accident, he had become quite garrulous. A brother of Harper's had been treated for insanity by witness; but he did not know that it was hereditary in the family.

Thomas Barton deposed that he had been foreman for Harper over the Horsefly mine. In the fall of 1887 he left, in consequence of Harper's interference with him. This was after the accident. Harper sent him up a number of Chinamen, when he did not want them, and insisted that the mine should be worked so as to make a big profit. The mine did not pay.

Dr. Hannington was examined as to the sanity of the plaintiff. He had seen Harper after the accident, and believed that he was mentally affected. He did not think him capable of transacting business affairs intelligently.

J. C. Devlin deposed that he had been a miner at Lightning Creek, and knew the various claims there. He was shown a map of the district, and proceeded to explain it. He had worked on the Victoria claim for about two or three months. He left Lightning Creek in 1875 or 1876, when the Victoria and Vancouver claims were being worked. Numerous shafts had been put down in the district, some of which paid well, whilst others were abandoned as unprofitable. From 60 feet to 80 feet was about the average depth of the shaft, and they were not sunk deeper because it would not pay. He had known Harper before the accident for about 20 years. After the accident Harper did not appear to be in his proper senses, and used to talk foolishly. He spoke of millions of dollars in gold which he was to get from the Horsefly mine; but this was never realized.

William F. Anderson, of Snow Shoe, Cariboo, deposed that he had known Lightning Creek since 1865, and had seen it five weeks ago. He was interested in the Costello mine, which he had sold. Several claims in the district had long since been worked out and abandoned. About $70,000 was put in the Gladstone claim but nothing had been made out of it. He did not think it a feasible plan to drain the ground by tunnel as proposed by Mr. Harper. From his knowledge of the ground, he did not think there was any gold there. He put no value whatever on the claim held by Harper.

The Court adjourned until this morning.

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WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Assessor.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 31, 1891. no1

NOTICE.

Re Estate of Abel Beswick, Deceased, Intestate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that certain Certificates of Deposit issued by the Bank of British North America, and numbered 261, 334, 425 and 135, in favor of Abel Beswick, and a Certificate of Deposit issued by Messrs. Garesche, Green & Co., dated 29th May, 1891, and numbered 6,277, also in favor of the said Abel Beswick, having been lost, all parties are hereby cautioned against negotiating the same.

WM. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

Victoria, 23rd Oct., 1891. oc24 1m

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MUNICIPAL REFORM.

The subject of Municipal Reform is occupying the attention of the people of the United States. The cities of the Great Republic are not well governed. The people do not get the comforts and the conveniences they require, their municipal officials are not efficient, and much of the money raised as taxes from the citizen's goes goodness knows where. The want of good city government is so pressing and so generally felt, that thoughtful and able men, in the United States, are trying to find a remedy for municipal mismanagement. The Forum for October, and the the North American Review for November, contain able and interesting articles on this very important subject.

Speaking of taxation, about which almost every one in every city thinks that he knows a great deal, Professor Eliot, in the Forum, says:

"In the first place, the incidence of taxes is one of the most difficult subjects in political economy, and very few American legislators know anything about it. More than that, very few Americans, in any profession or walk of life, know anything about it. The colleges and universities of the country are greatly to blame for this condition of things. They never began to teach political science in any serious way till about twenty years ago. The generation of men now in their prime either never studied any political economy at all, or studied it in one small text book for a few hours a week for perhaps half a year at school or college, or they picked up a few notions about it in the intervals of professional or business occupation after they had entered upon their life work. The number of living Americans who have any thorough and systematic knowledge of the principles of political economy, including the incidence of taxes, is absolutely insignificant; and these few are mostly either professors or business men who have been also life-long students. The average business man and the average professional man have never given any attention to the science, except, perhaps, to some little part of it, like the doctrine of protection, which has temporarily had some political interest."

Professor Eliot would be surprised to find, in every town and village in the United States and Canada, men who would undertake, at a moment's notice, to give him lessons on the principles of political economy and the incidence of taxation. They would show him how very far astray in regarding the subject a difficult one, and in saying that there are few on this continent who have mastered it. These gentlemen have found a royal road to the knowledge of political economy which Adam Smith, C. W. Eliot and other old fogies could never discover.

But taxation is not the only subject connected with the government of municipalities which, in Professor Eliot's opinion, requires great skill and special training to deal with efficiently. He has a word to say about streets and other public works, which every intelligent householder would do well to consider carefully. He says:

"I turn next to the case of highways, including paving, lighting, and cleaning. It is unnecessary to dilate upon the intelligence and skill which are needed in modern cities for the right conduct of this department of public work. The services of engineers of the highest intelligence and skill, and of the highest professional honor and business capacity, are constantly requisite. In the great European capitals, these departments of municipal service are admirably managed by men trained in schools long famous, especially for the planning and direction of such public works, and kept in service, like officers of the army and navy, during good behaviour and efficiency. There is not a capital in Europe, I had almost said there is not even a small city, which does not immeasurably excel in the care of its highways, the best governed of American cities."

Here we have what Professor Eliot considers the first essential of municipal reform. In every service in which special knowledge and training are required, the best men procurable should be employed and their positions should be permanent. Water supply, sewers, sanitary arrangements, as well as highways, should be under the supervision of capable men who understand their work and take a pride in doing it well. "Before municipal government can be set right," he says, "municipal service must be made a life career for intelligent and self-respecting young Americans; that is, it must be attractive to well trained young men who enter it—as they enter any other profession or business—meaning to stay in it, learn it thoroughly, and win advancement in it by fidelity and ability." With a permanent staff of such officials to depend on, the work of the city councillors would be made comparatively simple and easy, and would be productive of infinitely better results than can be attained under the present rude and clumsy systems of city government.

THE DISPOSITION OF THE BOODLE.

The Royal Commission to enquire into the way in which the subsidy voted by the Quebec Legislature to aid the Baie des Chaleurs Railroad was expended, is doing its work well. It was finding out from members of the Government, from civil servants, from bank officials and others how the money was spent, and Mr. Pacaud saw that it was bad policy to be silent any longer, so he offered to go on the witness stand and tell the Commission how he got the hundred thousand dollars and what he did with it. Mr. Pacaud is a very clever man, and he told an exceedingly plausible and well connected story. His theory is that the money which Armstrong gave him was his own, to do with exactly as he liked, and that no one is responsible for the disposition which he made of it but himself. But the use to which he put this money does not altogether agree with this very convenient theory. A man who gets a windfall, such as this hundred thousand dollars was to Mr. Pacaud, does not generally spend it in taking up the notes of his political friends and in meeting the obligations contracted by the political party to which he happens to belong. He generally leaves the politicians to manage their own affairs and to pay their own debts, and devotes the whole, or nearly the whole, of the money to his own personal use. The money is his own, and what he spends of it he spends on himself and his family, and he puts the residue safely by for future use in the same way. But Mr. Pacaud makes a very different disposition of the large sum he obtained from Mr. Armstrong for his influence with the Government in procuring the settlement of that railway man's claim. We take from the Montreal Gazette, of the 26th ult., the following account of what Mr. Pacaud did with the $100,000 allowance being made for unimportant oversights and errors:—

$5,000 to pay a note to the order of Hon. H. Mercier, endorsed by Hon. H. Mercier, C. Langelier, C. A. Pelletier and F. Langelier—all Liberals.

$5,000 to pay for a bill of exchange in favor of Hon. H. Mercier—a Liberal.

$555.40, a gift to Hon. C. Langelier—a Liberal.

$1,000 to meet election expenses in Chicoutimi for—a Liberal.

$6,000 to pay costs of the Tarte investigation, for Mr. Geoffrion—a Liberal.

$1,000 in part payment of a house for Mr. C. Langelier—a Liberal.

$5,000 more to meet a note endorsed by Hon. H. Mercier, the above two Langeliers and above Pelletier—all Liberals.

$500 for endorsing the Government's letter of credit to Mr. Valliere—a Liberal.

$2,000 to pay a note (endorsed by Mr. Tarte) of Mr. C. Langelier—a Liberal.

$400 to pay a note for Mr. Achille Carriere, M.L.A.—a liberal.

$1,000 more to the contractor for the house of above Mr. C. Langelier—a Liberal.

$200 to Savings bank to credit of above Mr. C. Langelier—a Liberal.

$1,000 to Demers Brothers for printing for politicians—Liberals

$1,000 to pay a note for Mr. Tarte, endorsed by Mr. F. Langelier—a Liberal.

$400 to meet a note of Mr. Tarte's in connection with the Tarte enquiry promoted by—Liberals.

$400 for stock in Fortress Hotel company for above Mr. C. Langelier—a Liberal.

$150 for a note of Mr. Deschene, M.L.A.—a Liberal.

$500 more for endorsing the Government's letter of credit to Mr. Valliere—a Liberal.

$1,000 to pay the election expenses of Mr. Pelletier—a Liberal.

$50 to pay an election bet, lost by—a Liberal.

$1,000, or more (the amount is uncertain), bringing the total up to $16,000, to or for above Mr. C. Langelier—a Liberal.

$3,000 more to meet note endorsed by above Mr. Mercier, above Mr. Pelletier and above Messrs. Langelier—all Liberals.

$3,000 deposited to credit of above Mr. C. Langelier—a Liberal.

$5,000 more to pay note endorsed by Mr. Tarte, and by above Messrs. Mercier, Pelletier and Langelier—all Liberals.

$5,000 to or for above Mr. C. Langelier—a Liberal.

$1,500 to or for above Mr. C. Langelier—a Liberal.

$5,000 more to meet a note endorsed by above Mercier, et al—all Liberals.

$3,000 loaned (on security) to Mr. L. G. Demers by Mr. Pacaud—a Liberal.

$1,500 to pay expenses on European trip of Mr. Pacaud—a Liberal.

$5,000 placed as emergency money by above Mr. Pacaud in hands of above Mr. C. Langelier—a Liberal.

$100 to pay subscription to Union club, of Mr. Duhamel—a Liberal-Nationalist.

$500 to Mr. Tarte—a doubtful fish acting with—the Liberals.

$20,000 in National Park bank, New York, to credit of above Mr. Pacaud—a Liberal.

$3,000 in La Banque du Peuple, as guarantee, by above Mr. Pacaud—a Liberal.

Does any one suppose that if Mr. Pacaud had fallen heir to one hundred thousand dollars through the death of a relative, or if so large a sum had been left him as a legacy, or if he had made it by a lucky speculation in stocks, he would have spent it so lavishly for political and party purposes? It is not, by any means, likely. The above account shows very clearly that the money was regarded as party property, and that Mr. Pacaud felt that he was not the only person who had an interest in it. There are very few politicians so generous as to scatter their earnings among their political friends with such a lavish hand as Mr. Pacaud scattered this one hundred thousand dollars.

SENSATION MONGERS.

The American news caterer is altogether too fond of sensation. He is not satisfied to state the plain truth in a plain way. The plain truth is altogether too plain for him. He must add to it and ornament it, in order both to magnify his office and, as he thinks, to suit the popular taste and meet the popular demand. He has been doing this so long and so audaciously that the judicious reader of the newspapers has much difficulty in deciding what credit to attach to any item of telegraphic news that comes from an American source. The modicum of truth that underlies the sensational statement, it is sometimes impossible to discover.

The favorite topic of the sensationalists, just now, is Chili, According to them, there will be war between Chili and the United States, in a week or two. The Chilians are angry and violent, and are ready to fight at a moment's warning, and the United States is indignant, and is preparing to give the cheeky South American Republic a good thrashing. It is very seldom that nations take leave of their senses altogether, and the thoughtful and intelligent newspaper reader feels quite certain that there is hardly a possibility of Chili and the United States being so foolish and so blind to their true interests as to fight about what is, after all, a trifling matter. He knows that whatever may be the misunderstanding just now between the two nations it will be cleared away by the usual methods in a very few weeks. The Chileans know that they cannot do injury to foreigners without making due reparation, and the Government of the United States will not resort to force until the Chileans refuse, point blank, to give them the reasonable satisfaction they demand. If the news caterers possessed only a moderate share of common sense they would place a curb on their imagination and not give their statements so fanciful a form that sensible people must reject them with disgust. This nuisance of sensationalism is becoming intolerable, and is doing the newspapers any amount of harm. People are beginning to lose faith in what they see in the telegraphic columns of the American press.

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WANTED—A general servant. Apply between the hours of one and two, Mrs. W. H. Dorman, 61 Superior St. oc31-3t

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at the Agricultural Hall, South Saanich, on the evening of November 5th. Tickets $2.00, admitting lady and gentleman. Dancing at 8 o'clock. oc21

MRS. EDWARD DICKINSON,

Having returned from San Francisco, will re-open the

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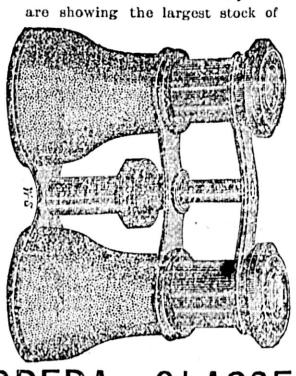

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Carpets.

Largest stock of carpets in the city, at Spencer's Arcade. Estimates given. *

School Board.

The board of school trustees meets at the City Hall, at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

Another Salmon Shipment.

A big shipment of salmon from the Fraser was made yesterday by the N. P. Railway.

A New Organist.

Mr. James E. Bridgoman, of this city, was, yesterday, appointed organist of St. John's Church. He has been filling the position for the past three weeks, and during that time has given general satisfaction.

Have Your Carpets Cleaned.

The Victoria Carpet Cleaning Works will clean your carpets and make them look like new, at a very small expense. Leave your orders at office, Pierre block, Douglas street. *

BOYS' SUITS at half price.
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An Old Pioneer Dead.

Capt. J. D. Blake, a well-known pioneer, died at his cabin on Humboldt street, late on Sunday night. The deceased spent over thirty years of his life in this province, and most of that time was engaged in the shipping business. For some years he ran a small steamer on the Fraser River in connection with cannery work.

Inland Revenue Returns.

The Inland Revenue returns for the month of October, were as follows:

Spirits	$8,272 60
Malt	2,865 42
Tobacco	1,074 25
Cigars	820 95
Petroleum Inspection	502 50
	$13,495 72

Fire!

CARD TO THE PUBLIC:—We hereby beg to correct the false report that our goods have been damaged by water. They are in perfect order, and are selling for far less than salvage goods usually obtain. Everything is reduced in price to the lowest, as the business must be closed.

BROWN & WHITE,
2w-oc18. Albion House.

Charged with Fighting.

Four Chinamen, with their heads all bound up with old rags, stained with blood, appeared in the Police Court yesterday morning and were remanded for a day. They had been engaged, the night before, in a game of fan-tan, out of which a dispute arose which ended in a big fight. Irons about a foot and a half long and an inch thick, which Chinamen use as fighting weapons, were used freely. However, before much harm was done to any of them, the police interfered and arrested the four men, taking them to the city lock-up.

In Kind Remembrance.

Miss Carmichael, who has been for years a popular and efficient member of the teaching staff of the Victoria Central school, handed her resignation to the Board a short time ago, to prepare for a pleasing and all important ceremony in which she was the chief figure, last evening. Her associate teachers, as a mark of their respect and regret at the separation, on Thursday evening last, presented her with a handsome fish knife and fork in case, and also several pieces of handsomely hand-painted china. The pupils of Miss Carmichael's division also sent a pretty present with their regards and congratulations.

BOYS' SUITS $3, worth $5 and $6.
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Baxter-Carmichael.

The Ven. Archdeacon Scriven performed a wedding ceremony at St. James' church, James Bay, yesterday evening, when Mr. Charles S. Baxter, of the C.P.N. Co., was married to Miss Elinor M., second daughter of the late John H. Carmichael, a very popular young lady, who has for some time past been teaching a class at the Central School. The groom was supported by Mr. Geo. McFarland, of Vancouver, and Miss Annie Carmichael acted as bridesmaid. The wedding was celebrated in the presence of a large number of friends of the couple. At its close Mr. and Mrs. Baxter left for Portland, by the s.s. Kingston, on their honeymoon. They will return to Victoria next week, and settle down in their home on Cadboro Bay road.

CLEARING SALE, Boys' Suits.
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Police Pencillings.

Thomas Waterhouse, a grey-headed and feeble old man, headed the lists of drunks in yesterday's police court. Four Indians next appeared on the same charge. Geo. Madison (colored) was next accused of drunkenness. Mr. Willis Bond rose to address a few words in his defence. This was not allowed, and Mr. Bond paid his fine. The C battery man, who assaulted Officer Smith, was then called on, and, after a short trial, was fined $10 or, in default, sentenced to one month at hard labor. Andrew Nelson pleaded guilty to having supplied an Indian with an intoxicant, and was fined $50. John Eastwood, on remand, on the charge of stealing rings, was dismissed along with Master Ross, the little boy who stole the money out of the till in Mr. Norris' store. In the latter case His Honor thought that the boy being small to punish him might do him more harm than good Decision was finally given in the case against the bartender of the Railroad Hotel, charged with supplying liquor to Indians. The accused was fined $150 in all, half of which will go to the informer, Sergeant Walker.

Removed.

C. H. Bowes & Co., dispensing pharmacists, have removed to 27 Johnson street. oc31-1mo

Social.

A social will be held in the schoolroom of the Pandora Avenue Methodist Church, this evening, at 8 o'clock. A capital programme and refreshments.

Quality and Quantity.

That is what you get when you buy the old reliable Wellington coal. A large supply constantly on hand and sold at current rates. Hall, Goepel & Co., 100 Government street. Telephone call No. 83. 6m

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Sons of St. George.

At a rousing meeting of Milton Lodge, Sons of St. George, last evening, it was decided to hold a grand ball about the middle of December, and also to attend the establishment of the new lodge at Spring Ridge, to-morrow evening.

A Great Convenience.

From this date Jackson & Mylius, Jewelers, 76 Government street, will send for your clock, and return it when properly adjusted. Call on us or drop a card, which will have our prompt attention. Watches and jewelry repaired with neatness and dispatch. All work guaranteed. se20-tf

It Was a Snider Rifle.

Officer James Hunter placed a painter named H. E. Haven behind the bars, last night, the charge of larceny being entered against him. He is accused of stealing a rifle and a shot gun from Wm. Snider, of Carey's road. The articles were found in the pawn shops, and Officer Hunter followed up the clue there obtained.

An Important Sale.

Attention is called to an advertisement, appearing in this morning's advertising columns, concerning the sale of all the bar fixtures and furniture of the Royal Hotel, at the corner of Douglas and Fort streets. Several handsome articles are to be disposed of, and the contents of thirteen bedrooms, completely fitted up; a large new billiard table, and a Hall's safe will also be offered for sale

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Sunday's Gale.

A rather stiff gale set in on Sunday night, causing a great deal of damage in a small way, but nothing very serious in any case. Steamship time-tables were slightly put about; boats not departing on time or reaching their destination at the prescribed hour. Stores in the city had their shades shattered, old fences were raised, deserted framework buildings were levelled and umbrellas were turned inside out. In the Bay, some of the vessels dragged their anchors, but no serious injury was done.

Murder or Suicide?

A post-mortem examination was yesterday held on the body of the Indian, Semamanick, who was found dead in a wood near Mud Bay, on Saturday last. Drs. Wade and Crompton made the examination; and their report is that there are no signs of foul play. The brain is not battered in as reported by the Indian on Saturday, nor were there any signs of strangulation. The inference is that the man got "loaded," and feigned suicide, it being clear that the cord round his neck could not have sustained the weight of his body. The opinion is that a fall occasioned the abrasions on the the face. Death was the result of exposure. Under these circumstances an inquest was deemed unnecessary, and the body was duly interred.

The Ritchie Incident.

Sunday's morning revelations in THE COLONIST had a magic effect upon Mr. John Ritchie, who was so affected by the bogus telegram announcing the death of his family in a railway accident, as to become perfectly unconscious. He turned up at the office yesterday morning perfectly conscious, and indignantly denied that he was the writer of the telegrams, or that he caught on to the clumsey hoax—if such were perpetrated upon him. It was rumored in town yesterday that he had recovered his old affection, and was about to marry the young lady who so faithfully nursed him through his illness. He was not married yesterday evening, but it is said he will be this evening in the First Presbyterian church—according to present arrangements.

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We Want a Wife,

Husband, brother and sister to advertise in and buy our $5.00 William's Officia Directory, 1892, for $4.00 by signing order payable on delivery of book. Address, P. O. Box 485, Victoria, B.C. *

"THE BURGLAR" IN THE VICTORIA

A Play of Strong Interest—To-Night Beacon Lights Will be Given.

Joseph R. Grismer and his charming wife Mrs. Grismer, (nee Davies), are old-time Victoria favorites, a fact strongly evidenced by the warmth of the reception tendered them by the large audience that filled The Victoria, last evening. They presented "The Burglar," a play not unknown here, and one full of many powerfully interesting passages and striking instances, but not aiming at any high originality. Its story is told in four acts, none of them of very long duration, and is given with a commendable amount of simplicity. Mr. Joseph R. Grismer is "The Burglar," a young man of good family, but owing his downfall to the fact that evil communications corrupt good manners. He is a sort of gentlemanly burglar, doing the thing merely for the pleasure he derives therefrom. He reforms and marries the girl of his choice, but an obliging spirit gets him into a scrape which brings about his ruin. He has to fly home and family, a divorce is secretly obtained, his wife marries another in the belief that he is dead, and all seems to go well till he by chance burglarizes his former wife's residence. His little daughter finds him in the act, and a very pathetic scene follows, the whole ending in explanations and his death by some unknown means. Mr. Grismer is cut out for this part, which he portrays with interest and ability. Miss Davies, as his wife, is always sweetly interesting, and little Laura Crews is an innocent little divinity as the child of this poorly matched pair. Paul Benton, the stylish editor, is well represented in Mr. Edgar Weir, and Mr. Scott Cooper is a good retired merchant. Mr. Arthur Livingston deserved the loud and frequent plaudits he received in the role of the young lawyer, which he acted to a degree bordering nearly on life. On the whole, the company is well adapted to the piece and the piece to the company, who secured an undoubted success.

To-night, the second and last of the engagement, the company appears in "Beacon Lights," which comes highly recommended.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

SPRINTING.

Broad street was the scene of a novel and interesting foot race, yesterday afternoon, D. McDougal and W. Deasy being the contestants. The conditions required Deasy to run backward, his opponent running straight away, and giving Deasy 25 yards start. The stakes, $10, went to Deasy, who won easily. One hundred and fifty yards was the distance.

THE OAR.

TO THE EDITOR:—I notice in last evening's Times, what is in ended for an acceptance of my challenge, to back Will Hurd to row Hanlan, McLean or Stephenson. I think the acceptance would look much better if it were accompanied by a small forfeit; and to show the good faith of my challenge, I have deposited $100 with Mr. H. Fox, of the Caledonia Saloon. So come up ye bold sport or forever hold your peace.

JNO. PLUNKO.

Buried Yesterday.

The unfortunate man Mable, who died on Saturday night, was buried yesterday afternoon. Several friends attended the obsequies. The deceased leaves no family.

Illegal Whiskey Selling.

John McNally, a man well known to the police as a continual hanger-on at the Indian Reservation, was arrested last night for supplying liquor to Indians. The Indians who purchased the liquor were also caught by the police and lodged in the cells.

Hanlan and Stephenson.

Stephenson is not by any means satisfied with the result of Saturday's boat race, and expresses himself as willing and anxious to try conclusions with Hanlan again for larger stakes—$1,000 aside. He says he will be prepared to row a second race in skiffs.

The Free Library.

During the past month there were 2,818 books read by lady subscribers, and 1,343 by gentlemen. Seventy-nine new cards were issued during the month. It is to be regretted that the possessors of books which have been thoroughly perused, do not hand them over to the free library.

The New Trustee.

It has been learned that the Government have appointed to the School Board, in place of Mr. J. Jessop, Mr. William McKay of this city,—an appointment which is certain to give satisfaction, as the new trustee is possessed of a vigorous and well balanced mind, and a conscientious regard for right.

School of Arms.

The first meeting of the School of Arms of Victoria was held at their rooms, over Messrs. A. A. Clayton's, yesterday evening. There was a large attendance, and, judging from the number who signed the roll, it is clear that this session is sure to be a successful one.

At Philharmonic Hall

The boards of the Philharmonic Hall were last night occupied by the Imperial Stock Co. in the "Galley Slave." The company should be in the Victoria, where they would receive a larger patronage and a better scope for their abilities. The company is an excellent one, and deserves a better support than that given them. They labor under considerable disadvantage in the stage arrangements, but their acting is as good as need be desired. This evening there is a change of programme, and those who wish to enjoy a dramatic treat will visit the Philharmonic Hall.

LAST OF THE FLEET.

The Sealing Schooner Mascot Long Overdue from Behring Sea.

Only one of the Victoria sealing fleet, the Mascot, or Juanita of former years, has yet to return from the sealing grounds, and her arrival has been looked for daily for a month past. Her owner, Mr. Richard Hall, and the friends of those on board are now becoming anxious, and more than one hold the opinion that the Mascot has made her last trip. She cleared for Behring Sea on June 16th, with a full white crew, having just had the damages by an explosion on board made good. Her orders were to remain out until October, and do all the business possible. No one has sighted the long absent boat since July 1st, when she was seen off the West Coast on her way North, and it does seem strange that, if she is afloat and all right, she has not been heard from.

Captain Lorenz commands the absent schooner, and the crew under him were shipped as follows:

J. H. Henderson, native of Ireland, aged 30, left the Venture in 1890
Ralph Joyce, 31, English, Juanita in 1891.
G. M. Barker, 41, Nova Scotian, Annie C. More, 1891.
Chas. McGee, 25, Connecticut, Lilly L., 1890.
John Grice, 40, English, first ship.
F. Smith, 18, native of Victoria, Sea Lion.
C. Peters, 34, German, Grampus, 1889.
Harry Cook, 25, German, W. H. Howard, 1890.
G. S. McCrickey, 39, born at sea, Ariel 1891.
Robert Hope, 35, Welch, Empress of India, 1891.
Peter Currin, 20, Rhode Island, first ship.
C. Brown, 45, Swedish, Lilly L. 1890.
G. Cezin, 19, Austrian, Lilly L., 1890.
W. S. Forsyth, 21, Baltimore, Md., C. H. Tupper, 1890.
Jno. Burtin, 21, Irish, Willamette, 1889.
B. Nickerson, 23, Nova Scotian, Danube, 1891.
A. Leary, (cabin boy), 17, London, England, first ship.

IDOLATRY IN INDIA.

Stone, Metal and Wooden Objects of Heathen Worship.

Captain Cruikshank of the English army told a story about idolatry in India lately, says an exchange. It seems, he says, as if there were more idols than people in India. They are made of stone, metal or wood, and you can see them under every shade tree.

It is like reading a chapter from the Bible to walk about some of the groves. A few of the temples are made of solid marble and gold.

The custom of worship is amusing. The devout Indian, on reaching the temple, first rings a bell. That is to notify the god that he is on hand to do business. After that ceremony the worshiper repeats his prayers, and then deposits his offerings. These consist of rice, grain and cloth. They are afterward put into the holy cart and sold.

The priests have no trouble in selling them, for the holy food is always quoted high. Twenty loads of holy food can be sold in the time it takes to dispose of a cargo that has not been to the temple.

The ceremony of putting the gods to sleep would make a saint laugh. The worshipers assemble in the temple and blow on horns, yelling and shouting at the top of their voices. This resembles an American Indian war-dance, and it is kept up all night long.

Other ceremonies are as strange, and the work of civilization does not progress rapidly. Buddhism did more than anything else to reform idolatry, but the people have drifted back into the same old habits.

An advance sect with high morals has been founded, but it will do but little if any good.

Emperor William's Body Guard.

The personal body guard of the emperor of Germany, members of which accompany him on his rides and excursions, consists of fifteen stalwart young foresters, all of whom have been trained under officials in the royal forests. After serving their three years in the army they are "picked" by a court marshal and personally presented to the emperor, who selects those that seem fittest to be his personal attendants. The rule is that after a term of service from nine to twelve years they are allowed to retire, when a position as forester is given them in the royal forests. The yoke of service rests lightly on the body guards, for they are on duty only every fifth day, and for this they receive a payment of twelve pounds and ten shillings, a truly magnificent salary as compared with the wages of some of the officials and domestics at the imperial palace.

Typewriting.

The extension of the use of the typewriter is shown by the fact that in one single building in New York city there are one hundred typewriter operators at work from nine o'clock in the morning till five in the afternoon. In the office of one of the insurance companies there are seventy-five young women employed as typewriters, operators and clerks.

Linen crumb cloths, at Weiler Bros.

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The Royal Hotel Bar Fixtures
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THIS DAY
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I have been instructed by Mr. Wm Croft to sell by auction on the premises, Fort and Douglas St., all the Fixtures and Furniture, consisting of:

A Fine Walnut Bar-room Sideboard,

with large Mirror; a fine Walnut Refrigerator, with double-action Beer Pumps; a fine Counter, with foot and hand rails, and all conveniences; a handsome Walnut Counter (semi-circular) with maple panels; a fine Lunch Sideboard in Walnut, with Maple Panels and fine Mirror;

A HALL'S SAFE;

Cigar Show Case; Statuette, "The Diver;" Glassware, Liquor Bottles, Vases, Pictures, Clocks, Oilcloth, Spittoons, Base-burner Stove and Piping,

A Fine Carom Billiard Table,

Balls, new Cloth, Marking Board, Cues, Racks, etc., by Brunswick & Balke; Book Case and Writing Desk, 2 fine Colored Lithographs of Trafalgar and Waterloo, Mirror, Chairs, Card Tables, Marble Lavatory, Felt Curtains, Poles and Blinds, Oil Cloths,

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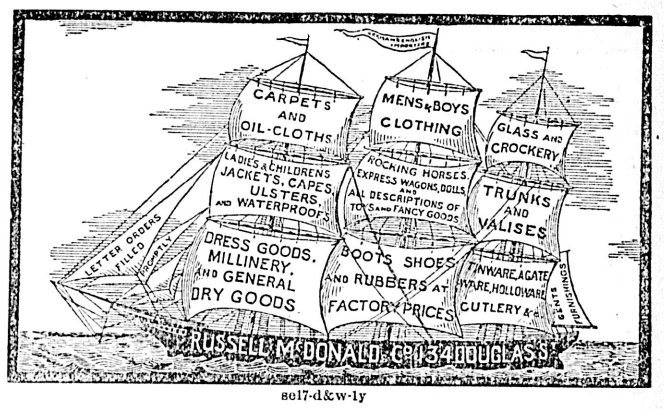

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THE IRISH TROUBLE.

Row Between the Rival Factions—No Political Harangues in the Pulpits.

Redmond Ready to Fight Dr. Tanner —Healy Says the Parnellites are Cowards.

LIVELY TIMES IN CORK.

CORK, Nov. 1.—The town was kept lively to-day by the activity of the political factions, but there was less disorder than on most of the previous days of the campaign. Several melees took place, and the police had their hands full in guarding the numerous meetings that were held. The principal anti-Parnellite meeting, addressed by Mr. O'Brien, was attacked by a strong force of Parnellites, in spite of the presence of a large police guard. A mutual exchange of courtesies, in the shape of stones and other missiles, was kept up by the members of the opposing parties, but it was noticeable that so far as possible the combatants avoided hitting the officers of the law.

The two factions had a serious struggle, to-day, outside of the town, where there were no police to interfere. The Parnellites came out ahead. In the struggle houses were wrecked and many persons injured and a good deal of blood shed, although no fatalities are reported. Dozens of broken heads are being mended at the hospital, to-night, but so far as reported no more serious results of the day's hostilities occurred. A noticeable feature of the day was the absence of political harangues from the Catholic pulpits. Hardly a priest referred to the campaign. It is stated that this was due to the intervention of Messrs. O'Brien and Dillon, who urged the priests to drop the political features from their exhortations, owing to the growth of public feeling against what is coming to be looked on as a grave scandal and threatens to prove a boomerang for the anti-Parnellites.

REDMOND CHALLENGES DR. TANNER.

William Redmond announced at a meeting, to-day, that he had challenged Dr. Tanner to fight, but that he had declined.

HEALY ON HIS MUSCLE.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—In an address at Longford, to-day, Timothy Healy accused the Parnellites of cowardice. The Parnellites, he said, talked of English dictation and resorted to dynamite. He imputed to the Parnellites the dynamite explosion in Glasgow, some time ago. He condemned what they called "the alliance of the Parnellites with Mrs. O'Shea," and said he was astonished that they should unite with an English prostitute who had ruined a member of parliament. He also said he did not refer to the unhappy woman, meaning Parnell's sister, whom the Dublin wire-pullers had induced to write to Paris. Healy advised unity in combating the landlords. At present, he said, the Parnellites tried to make up for brains with blackthorns.

DUTIABLE PACKAGES.

Friction between the Custom House and Post Office Authorities.

For some days past many people have been put to considerable inconvenience owing to the fact that dutiable packages that have arrived here through the mail have not been delivered. A reporter visited Mr. Milne at the Custom House on the subject yesterday, who made the following statement:

"A couple of weeks ago I received an intimation from the post office authorities here that they would shortly put a stop to the present practice of sending down to the custom house dutiable packages that came through the mails, and intimated that we must remove them ourselves. The arrangement existing between the two departments up to the present has been that at 9 o'clock every evening one of our clerks should go to the post office and get out the dutiable packages that had arrived there the previous evening, from the undutiable ones, such as magazines, newspapers, etc. Then the post office transferred these dutiable goods to the custom house, where they were properly receipted for, and immediately on receipt we sent out cards intimating to the various people to whom the goods were addressed that they were awaiting delivery at our office.

On hearing that the post office people intended to alter this custom, I at once informed them, by letter, that, in order not to inconvenience the public at all, I was willing to make an immediate test of the matter by asking the Ottawa authorities if they would allow things to go on in the old way until we had some final settlement. Accordingly, I at once wrote to Ottawa for instructions, and things went on as usual until a few days ago, when our clerk, who went to the post office, was informed there that he would have to receipt for the goods on the spot, and take them down to the Custom House with him, in some kind of a vehicle. The clerk then applied to me for instructions in the matter, and I immediately objected to allowing a servant of my department to run the risk of transferring valuable parcels, of all kinds, from the Post Office to the Custom House. My principal reason for doing this was, firstly, that it was beyond all precedent; secondly, because I have as yet received no new instructions, whatever, on the matter; and thirdly, because it is distinctly laid down in the rules of our department that we shall accept no risks whatever for dutiable goods of any description, until they are delivered here in this office. In the transferring of dutiable packages the post office stands in the position of a public carrier, and it is their duty to deliver anything of this description to us. It is not reasonable to suppose, looking at the matter in a purely business light, that we are going to sign a receipt for stuff before it reaches us. The post office authorities want us to make a clerk responsible for these goods, and expect him to run the risk of the loss of any of them in their transit from there to here. Their letters to me say that they have now received instructions from Ottawa justifying their conduct. I am very sorry that the public is inconvenienced by the matter, but I don't think the fault lies with my department. I only wish to do what we have always done, and I cannot fly in the face of government instructions by acting different to what I am doing, until these instructions are altered from Ottawa."

JUDGE SWAN'S CONCLUSIONS!

Sunday's Seattle Post Intelligencer contains a long article on the Behring Seal Fishery, of which the following are the concluding paragraphs:

"On the North Atlantic ocean the hair seals have been hunted for more than two centuries, and every year more vessels and larger vessels are engaged in the business. Yet the hair seal is not exterminated. The habits of the fur seal and hair seal are analogous—both live on fish, both are amphibious; but the commercial value of the fur seal is the greater, and while our fishermen can kill all the hair seals they wish, the fur seal must be reserved for those who have longer purposes and can cajole Congress by their sophistries.

"The fur seals never will be exterminated. They may and have been driven from their rookeries, but they have found others, and if they are being driven from the Pribiloff islands, as is asserted, I predict that when the wholesale butcheries are stopped and the stench of the rotting carcasses no longer pollutes the atmosphere of St. Paul's and St. George's rookeries, the seals will return to their old haunts as they are now returning to their former rookeries at Cape Horn and other places in the South Pacific. In all the preceding years of the history of the sealing on the Pribiloff islands, the captains of the revenue cutters have not been required to make specific reports on their observations of fur seals off the rookeries, and any voluntary statements they may have made were either pigeon-holed or not considered good form, hence we have no knowledge of any such reports. This season, however, the captains have been required to make reports on thair observations of fur seals and their habits off of the rookeries, and their testimony, added to the reports of the commissioners, will furnish much interesting information which has hitherto been suppressed.

"If the government will prohibit the killing of fur seals on the Pribilof Islands and in Behring Sea during the breeding season, and will encourage our fishermen as they are encouraged on the Atlantic, the seals will not be driven off nor the market overstocked, and, better than all, encouragement will be given to the development of our fisheries by furnishing a motive for a fishing fleet to congregate on Puget Sound, and by the products of their labors to enrich our state. If such a course is pursued one will hear no more of American vessels being driven under the British flag for protection from the United States Government, which should protect them. Our government is very jealous of injuries and insults put upon our citizens by foreign nations, but not a word is said of the injuries and losses our citizens have incurred by our own government in sustaining and protecting a monopoly on the seal islands. It is a disgraceful partnership between the United States and these monopolists, which should be dissolved. It is an old adage that 'when thieves fall out honest men get their dues,' and I hope that the present feud between the two rival companies may bring Congress to a clear understanding of this matter, and our fishermen allowed the same privileges and encouragement that they have in the North Atlantic.

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JOE. MACDONALD.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 8, 1891. oc11-1m

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G. L. MILNE,
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Victoria, B.C., Oct. 17, 1891. oc18-2w

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ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 1, 1891.

Sun rises......6:17 a.m. | Sun sets......4:41 p.m.
Moon rises 6:36 p.m.

Day of the year, 305th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

Report for 24 hours ending 9 p. m.
ESQUIMALT STATION Nov. 1, 1891.

1 a. m..	48°	Mean	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows;
5 a. m..	50°	51°	
9 a. m..	50°	Highest	5 a.m—8 miles N. E.
1 p. m..	52°	53°	1 p.m—12 miles N. E.
5 p. m..	52°	Lowest	9 p.m—20 miles W.
9 p. m..	53°	47°	Rain—.13

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Nov. 2, 1891.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	51°	Mean	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	51°	51°	
9 a. m..	51°	Highest	5 a.m.—32 E.
1 p. m..	57°	57°	1 p.m.—20 S. W,
5 p. m..	53°	Lowest	9 p.m.—4 N.
9 p. m..	47°	46°	Rain—. 18

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer OLYMPIAN from the Sound—O A Brown, M Welsh, L Babcock, M B Reed, T R Rodgers, C Bergman, H Christman, D Sampson, T S Maddridge, S G Hutchins, A Lewis, J Macdonald, H Saunders and wife, R Rose, H Carroll, D Harlow, W Chapman, J G Campbell, G H Scibner, G Burton and wife, T Wallace, P Molan, G Page, H G Fleming, B H John, J. Cameron.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

INWARDS.

Str. Islander..............from Vancouver.
" Yosemite........... " N. Westminster.
" City of Kingston.... Port Townsend.
" Olympian........... " "
" Burnette............ " N. Westminster.
" Mascotte........ .... " "
" Isabel.............. " Naniamo
" Phantom........... "
" Maude.............. " Barcley Sound.
" Danube............. " Northern Points.
" Thistle............. " Nanaime.
" Eliza............... " Tumbo Island.

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Str. Islander..............for Vancouver.
" Yosemite........... " N. Westminster.
" Maude.............. " "
" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Olympian........... " "
" Isabel.............. " Nanaimo.
" Schooner nnie Ben " Roche Harbor.
" North Star......... " "
" Steamer Burnette.. " N. Westminster.

LOCAL.

The Mud Lark dredger was unable to perform her work at the Outer Wharf yesterday, owing to rough weather.

The keel of Mr. Penny's new schooneer was laid at Clark's ways yesterday morning.

Steamer Mari was due from San Francisco last night on her way up to Nanaimo for a load of coal.

Steamer Maude returned from Barclay Sound, on Sunday morning with a small number of passengers, among whom were Messrs. Devereux and Luckervitch. She had but a small cargo of oil, potatoes and skins. She immediately loaded 2,800 cases of salmon ex-steamer Danube, and 500 cases ex-warehouse at the outer wharf and left last night for New Westminster, where she will discharge into the bark Rothesay Bay. She will complete that vessel's cargo before returning from the Fraser River.

The American tug Mastic has been bought by the Ross & McLean Milling company of New Westminster. The Mastic ia a fine boat and registers something like 120 tons.

Bark Noddleburn left New Westminster yesterday in tow of the tug Lorne for Tacoma, where she will load wheat for the United Kingdom. The last tea ship at Vancouver has also gone to Tacoma to load wheat for the United Kingdom.

Steamer Remus passed down Sunday morning, lumber laden for Australia.

British bark Hecla from San Francisco, passed up to Tacoma yesterday, to load lumber cargo.

The steamship Victorian, which is tied up at the Ocean dock, Seattle, undergoing repairs, was on Sunday an object of interest to hundreds of people, who visited her and inspected her many elegant appointments.

MAINLAND MATTERS.

(From the Miner.)

The Sea King company, made up of Wisconsin men, among whom are Hunner & Ginzkey, bankers at Alma, intend to develop its four claims on Duck creek, in Goat river district, this winter. The Sea King claim is the best known of the four, and is reported to be a good showing fsr the work done on it. The trail from Duck creek to Rykert's, by way of Jap King's, is said to be an excellent one.

The Slocan excitement does not seem to affect the boys over on Hall creek; they prefer to work a sure thing, although there may not be millions in it. The ground on the creek is rich in spots, the boys sometimes making an ounce a day to the man. Harry McMillan came in, this week, and sold 14 ounces to Hume & Co., the result of a few days sluicing by two men.

(Vernon News.

Deer are very plentiful in the Mission valley and can be seen along the bottoms early in the morning or towards evening.

Messrs. Morrison, Morgan and White returned to the Mission, on Saturday, from a six weeks prospecting trip. They sunk 18 feet into a ledge, discovered last fall, and found the vein grow wider as they sank. They came down in three days from the claim, bringing with them some handsome specimens.

Quite a large party left Enderby, Sunday morning, for their ranches on Canoe and Deep creeks. There is a quantity of magnificent land on these creeks, and it is very unfortunate that the numerously signed memorial petitioning the Government to have a road put through, could not have been acted upon, as it is quite impossible at present to get supplies in.

Mr. W. C. Ward, general manager of the Bank of B.C. for the province, recently visited Vernon. He expressed himself astonished and pleased at the progress made throughout the district during the last three years. The establishment of a branch bank here was at present premature, but as soon as the larger holdings were divided up and the district more thickly populated, a branch bank would be established. Mr. Ward, who has been visiting the Kootenay lake district, stated that he had a great belief in its future as a bullion-exporting country as soon as a change is made in the tariff regulations on both sides of the line.

The Rattler claim, Fairview camp, owned by Messrs Mankin & Carr, has developed into a promising prospect, and a five-stamp mill will be erected on the property at once. The machinery was purchased in Spokane by Mr. Mankin, and the power will be sufficient to operate ten stamps when they are required.

(Kootenay Star).

A new railway is about to be commenced from the main line of the C.P.R., at Revelstoke to the rich mining district of the Lower Kootenay, passing through the Lardeau, and opening up some hitherto unexplored regions in West Kootenay. It will be seen that this will be of the greatest importance to Revelstoke, as being a kind of feeder to the soon-to-be populous districts down the river.

Bears and caribou, says the Star's correspondent, are very numerous just now at Illecillewaet.

THE CROFTERS AND THEIR FRIENDS.

TO THE EDITOR:—I have been much interested by a perusal of Mr. Begg's letters on the Crofter question. I think the public should thank your able correspondent for his exertions and his very lucid exposition of, at least a part of, the scheme. We are all deeply concerned in the settling up of the country by such a desirable class of people as the Crofters would appear to be. But I am sorry that Mr. Begg has not seen fit to enlighten us on one important point. He has failed to tell us in what way he and the gentlemen who lately accompanied him to the province expect to be compensated for their exertions. Rumor has it that they have applied for the free grant of an enormous acreage of Crown lands, which they propose to apply to their own private advantage. I confess that when this rumor reached my ears I experienced a rude shock, as I had been led to believe that the Crofters' friends were purely and simply philanthropists. Have I been mistaken? and are Messrs. Begg & Co. about to engage in a huge land speculation? using the Crofter scheme as a lever to raise them to wealth and importance? ENQUIRER.

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W. F. TOLMIE.
Dated the 2d day of September, A.D. 1891.
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JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm.
Victoria, Dec. 11, 1890. de18-

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between William W. Petri and John Cook has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be carried on at the old stand, Delmonico Hotel, by William W. Petri and William R Jackson, under the name and style of Petri & Jackson, who will discharge all liabilities of the firm of Petri & Cook.

Dated 26th September, 1891.
WILLIAM W. PETRI.
JOHN COOK.
oc7-1m WILLIAM R. JACKSON.

NOTICE.

MR. JAMES ALLISON, founder of the Caledonia Dye Works, of this city, has returned from Scotland, and will be pleased to receive any work in his line at No. 45 View Street. oc17-1m

"Land Registry Act."

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C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 24th October, 1891. oc25-3m

In the Matter of Abel Beswick, deceased, intestate; and In the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned, William Monteith, have been appointed under an Order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated 12th Oct., 1891, Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Abel Beswick, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me, forthwith, their said indebtedness; and those having claims thereagainst are required to present same to me within sixty days from this date.

Victoria, B. C., 12th Oct., 1891.
WM. MONTEITH,
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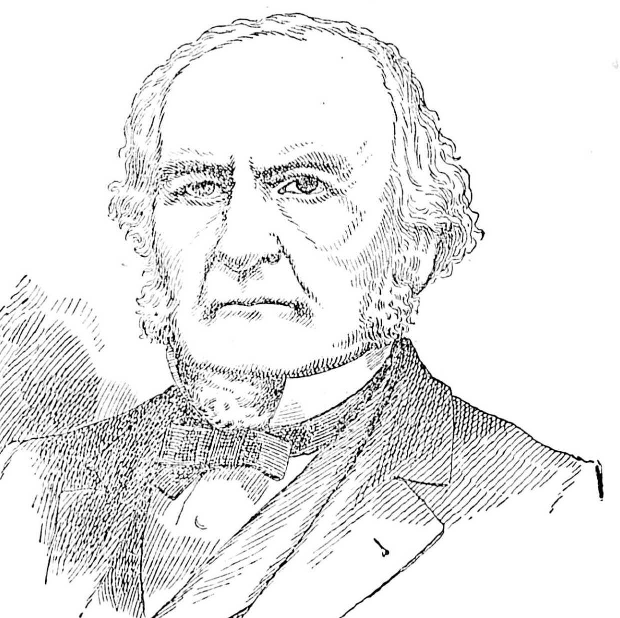

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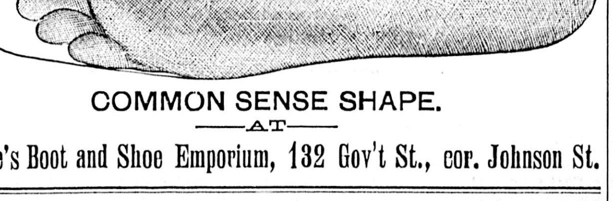

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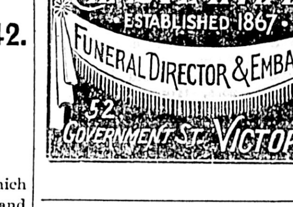

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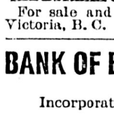

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A concert will be given by the Guild of St. Saviour's Church, Victoria West, on the night of the 17th inst. in the Victoria West Hall. A good programme is being prepared. The proceeds will go towards furnishing the church.

PERSONALS.

Dr. J. C. Davie went over to Vancouver this morning.

Miss Abbott returned to Vancouver this morning.

H. Christman and D. Samson, of Whatcom, are guests at the Driard.

E. Godin, of Montreal, is at the Driard.

W. E. Bergman leaves for Portland this morning, and will return next Friday.

R. L. Cawston of the B. C. Cattle Company has gone to Ladner's Landing. He will be back in Victoria next week.

Hon. J. H. Turner reached New York last Wednesday, and is daily expected home.

A. C. Flumerfelt went over to Vancouver this morning for the purpose of seeing Mrs. Flumerfelt and children safely on their way to Montreal, where they will visit for several months.

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The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

EXCURSION.—Canada's National Park.—Banff and Return, $30. The Canadian Pacific Railway issue tickets, available for sixty days, with stop over privilege at Glacier and Mount Stephen (Field). For tickets, information, etc., apply at office, 75 Government street.
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AMERICAN NEWS.

"Sam'l of Posen" Indicted.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 2.—M. B. Curtis, the actor, known as "Samuel of Posen," pleaded not guilty, to-day, to a charge of killing Police Officer Alexander Grant, on the 11th of last September, and the case went over till Saturday, to be set for trial then.

The Cable to Hawaii.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 2.—The U. S. Fish Commissioners' steamer, Albatross, will leave, next Wednesday, to survey the route for the proposed cable between the United States and Hawaii. Already 840 miles of route have been surveyed, but one hundred miles of it were found very uneven, so another survey will be held to see if a better route cannot be found. Work is being done carefully and systematically. If no great difficulties be met with the survey will be completed in three weeks.

Admiral Browne's Instructions.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—Secretary Tracey, this evening made public the instructions sent last spring to Admiral Brown, commanding the Pacific Squadron at the beginning of the Chilian disturbance. "These instructions," Secretary Tracy says, "have been rigorously adhered to throughout. In no single instance have they been departed from. They prove conclusively that the charges of partiality, made by the English newspapers, are untruths, and that they have been invented in order to prejudice the Chilians against the United States for commercial purposes."

Extensive Fire in Missouri.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 2.—The most disastrous fire ever known has been raging in the western part of this county for three days. Unless rain intervenes the damage will be enormous. Already thousands of dollars worth of property have been destroyed. The fire originated on the farm of Thomas Nichols, on Thursday last, near Glencoe, and is spreading with lightning rapidity. Mr. Nichol's homestead was burned with a number of others, and thousands of acres of wheat. In many places houses, barns and stock were only saved by plowing up the crops. Between Glencoe and Eureka, a large amount of valuable timber has been consumed. The fire was still burning in that direction at a late hour, last night.

Admiral Brown's Proclamation.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2—The following is the proclamation of neutrality issued by Admiral Brown, U.S.S. Pensacola:

TALCUHUANO, Feb. 22, 1891.

The commander-in-chief cautions and enjoins the officers and enlisted men of the United States naval force on the west coast of South America, to abstain from discussing or criticising the present unfortunate state of affairs in Chili, and in no way to express their sentiments or opinions either favorable or unfavorable to either side. While it becomes our duty to maintain the strictest neutrality, in all our relations, it is also to our interests and to the credit of the service and our government to refrain from any expressions that can possibly be construed as an offence by either party. Officers and enlisted men are therefore ordered to be most guarded and careful in their conversations in relation to the condition of affairs in that country, with any person outside of the U. S. Navy. (Signed) W. H. McCANN, Rear Admiral U. S. Naval Force, South Pacific stations.

Short on Family Names.

One of the oddities of fashionable society in Philadelphia, says the Times of that city, which is puzzling to strangers, is the number of young ladies met with and classed as belles who bear the same family name. Until recently it has not been considered good form to use, except in intimate intercourse, young ladies' first names, but now it is not only necessary, but, there being daughters of different branches of the same family bearing the same Christian name, it has been found convenient to number them as in the case of young men, and such titles as Miss Arabella Rittenhouse II. and Miss Regina Pedigree III. are found on cards and invitations. This, of course, can not be carried out in introductions, and as there are at least twenty families with young ladies bearing the same name, though only distantly related, the effect at a large party is very confusing. For instance, there are twenty-eight Miss Biddles.

A Sea Voyage.

A SEA voyage is an expensive and extensive prescription, especially when equally good results as regards health, are to be had by simply taking Burdock Blood Bitters according to directions. It is a specific for dyspepsia, cleanses the blood, regulates the liver, bowels and kidneys and removes all impure matter from the system.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Money closed at 6 per cent., the highest rate. The lowest was 3. Exchange closed quiet at 4.81½@4.84½; actual rates, 4.80¼@4.80½ for 60 days, and 4.8⅞@4.81 for demands. Governments closed steady; currency, 6s, 111 bid; 4s, coupon, 116⅞ bid; extended 2s registered 99½ bid. Pacific Railway bonds closed as follows: Union firsts, 107½ bid; Union firsts, 107½ bid; Union sinking funds, 105¾ bid; Centrals not quoted. There was decidedly increased activity on the stock exchange this morning, more than double the amount of trading having been transacted than during the same hours on Saturday. The failure of the Maverick Bank in Boston and the expected heavy liquidations for long account in consequence, caused sharp selling at the opening, which was continued with more or less vigor during the first hours. The opening prices were 1¼ to 1½ per cent. lower than those of Saturday, and many of the list made farther declines in the early dealings; others, however, on supporting orders recovered part of the decline. Atchison and New England were the weakest stocks, and had declined 2½ and 2¾ per cent. respectively, at the lowest point. The next weakest, and at the same time most active, speculatives were Lake Shore, St. Paul, Pacific Mail, Northern pfd. and Delaware and Hudson. In the hour to noon prices recovered slightly, but the dealings were less active and without feature. Most of the selling of the morning was for Boston account, while the speculators on the bear sids of the market and room traders also sold considerably. When the early selling had spent its force there was a sharp rally. Closing prices: Pac. Mail, 36⅞; St. Paul, 75½; W. U., 82; Northwest, 116½; New York Central, 112; Northern Pacific, 27⅞; Northern Pacific, pfd., 73¾; Northern Pacific first mortgage bonds, 116½; Canadian Pacific, 88½; Oregon Improvement, nothing; Union Pacific, 40½; Missouri Pacific, 59½; Oregon Navigation, 74; Central Pacific, 32; Texas Pacific, 13½; Great Northern, pfd., 110; Manitoba, 113; Fargo Express, 138.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Flour dull, and without radical changes. Wheat options opened strong on the receipt of cables that the long looked for official prohibition of Russian grain exports had been announced. All grains but wheat are included in the prohibitory order. There was a sharp covering by the shorts, which caused an advance of one cent, but when they had covered the market dropped of its own weight, and closed irregular at ¼ advance for November and lower for other months Spot lots closed firm. Spot sales of No. 2 Red Winter at 104½; do. No. 2 red Winter, Nov., 101; do. December, 101¾; No. 2, January, 107; do February, 108¼. Sugar, raw, in fair request at full prices; 89 test Muscovado 3, 96 test centrifugals 3 5-16; refined, dull but steady; cut loaf and crushed, 5½; powdered, 4⅞; granulated, 4 3-16 to 4 5-16; cubes, 4⅜; mould A, 4⅞; confectionery A, 4½. Coffee, spot lots steady; fair Rio cargoes, 15½; futures closed firm and higher; Rio or Santos No. 7, Nov., 1165; do., Dec., 1155; do., Jan., 1135. Hops, moderately active; Pacific Coast 1891 choice, 18; common to prime, 14 to 16; 1890, 12 to 15 for common to choice; nothing offering at London. Petroleum closed at 70. Tin dull and unchanged. Copper steady. Lake, Nov. 1150. Lead weak; domestic, spot, 4 07½. Spelter, neglected. Iron, stagnant.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—Wheat was repressed by the Boston bank failure, reports of growing probability of rain in the winter wheat country, and reported assurances that Russia did not intend to prohibit the export of wheat. Closing prices were 3-4 to 7-8 cents lower. Receipts 512 cars, closing prices. Wheat. November, 92 7-8; December, 94 3-8; Year, 92 7-8. May, 101. Corn—November, 52½; Year, 47½. January, 41½. May 43. Oats—November, 30½; December, 30½; May, 31½. Pork—December, 8.30; January, 11.05; May, 11.40. 90. Lard—November, 5.70; December, 5.70; January, 5.70.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—Cattle receipts, 19,000; market steady. Shipping steers $2.75 @ $2 60; stockers and feeders, $1.30 @ 3.50, cows and bulls, $1 @ $2.85; Texans, $1.25@$3.10. Hogs receipts, 42,000; market weak; 5@10 cents lower. Heavy, $3.80@$4 15; mixed and medium, $3 60 @ $4; light, $3 30@$3.85. Sheep receipts, 7 000; inactive and weak; poor to choice; 75c @ $5. Lamb, $3.40@$5.25.

DOMINION VOTERS' LIST.

TO THE EDITOR:—Your announcement of the Court of Final Revision contains an error which is desirable to correct. The revision for the city will be held at the City Hall, on Tuesday, the 1st of December, at 2 p.m., and for the district, outside the city, at Howard's Hotel, Esquimalt, on Thursday, the 3rd of December, at 11 a.m. Reference is here made to the city limits as they existed before the recent extension. On, or immediately after final revision, I intend to make a new division of the electoral district into polling divisions, in accordance with the present municipal boundaries and population. Will you let me remind applicants that it is useless to write letters to the Revising Officer; they must send in and prove their claims, in conformity with the provisions of the Electoral Franchise Act, a copy of which is kept for public inspection at my office (Mr. C. Dubois Mason's office), Bastion Square.

EDWIN JOHNSON,
Revising Officer for the Electoral District of Victoria.
Victoria, Nov. 2, 1891.

DUNCAN'S DOINGS.

P. Jaynes, in company with his niece, arrived here, on Sunday last, from a visit to England.

J. Street, who was rather seriously injured last week, is progressing favorably. He was returning from Koksilah after dark, and, unfortunately, drove over the end of the embankment which served as an approach to the old bridge. Horse, buggy and occupants fell several feet upon the stones and gravel below. The result, as may be imagined, was a general "smash up." The lady, who was with Mr. Street, escaped uninjured, but he was not so fortunate.

An unknown man, who was undoubtedly insane (whether temporarily or otherwise remains to be seen), was lodged in jail here a few days since. He was found early one morning, near Somenos, frantically running up and down a field in very scanty apparel. A man, who stayed with him overnight in a barn near by, says that he fell in with him the day before, and during the night he missed his strange companion. After a long search, he was found at daybreak as stated. The constable was notified, and, with some difficulty, took charge of the poor fellow, who is now in a pitiable condition—terribly excited. Nothing could be gleaned from him, except that he said he had a wife and child in Tacoma and was trying to join them. He has since been sent on to Victoria.

A man, who was working on the addition to the Quamichan hotel, fell from the building, on Wednesday. It was thought at first that he had received serious internal injuries; but, fortunately, they proved to only slight, and it is expected that he will be quite well again in a few days.

We have had some very heavy rains this week. ERRATIC.

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Dated October 22nd, A.D. 1891.

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